

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.4094
TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 9TH DECEMBER, 2016

COMMISSIONING OF INS CHENNAI

4094. SHRI B. SENGUTTUVAN:

Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Indian Navy has inducted an indigenous destroyer named INS Chennai into its fleet recently and if so, the details thereof; and
- (b) whether the battleship has the modern defence capabilities to withstand hostile naval attack and if so, the details thereof?

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MINISTER OF STATE
IN THE MINISTRY OF DEFENCE

(DR. SUBHASH BHAMRE)

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(डा. सुभाष भामरे)

(a) & (b): Yes, Madam. INS Chennai, an indigenous Guided Missile destroyer, was commissioned in the Indian Navy on 21st November 2016. INS Chennai has State-of-the Art weapons and sensors for defence against air, surface and sub-surface threat.
