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UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.4924
TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 16TH DECEMBER, 2016

BRAHMOS SUPERSONIC CRUISE MISSILES

4924. SHRI R. PARTHIPAN:
SHRI B. SENGUTTUVAN:

Will the Minister of DEFENCE j{k k ea=h
be pleased to state:

- (a) whether India's admission into Missile Technology Control Regime has allowed it access to the missile technology that enables manufacture of missiles having a range of more than 300 KMs and if so, the details thereof;
- (b) whether any agreement to enhance the range of Brahmos supersonic cruise missiles from the existing 300 KMs to 600 KMs was executed between India and Russia and if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) whether the extension of range would increase the stand-off capability of the precision guided Brahmos missiles and if so, the details thereof?

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MINISTER OF STATE
IN THE MINISTRY OF DEFENCE

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(a) to (c): Yes, Madam. Subsequent to the India joining Missile Technology Control Regime (MTCR), Russia and India have agreed to extend the range of Brahmos supersonic cruise missile beyond 300 km. The proposal for undertaking joint technical development work for extending range beyond 300 kms has been executed between India & Russia.
