

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF DEFENCE
DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE PRODUCTION
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.2626
TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 17TH MARCH, 2017
DEFENCE MANUFACTURING UNITS

2626. SHRI MANSHANKAR NINAMA:
SHRI BHARAT SINGH:
SHRI ARVIND SAWANT:

Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:

- (a) the total number of defence manufacturing units functioning in the country along with the percentage of defence requirements being met by such units at present;
- (b) whether private manufacturers have also been involved in defence production of the country;
- (c) if so, the quantum of production being carried out by such manufacturers in the country; and
- (d) the ratio of foreign direct investment in these private companies along with the quantum of production by said units meant for domestic use and for export?

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MINISTER OF STATE
IN THE MINISTRY OF DEFENCE

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(a) & (b): There are 141 defence manufacturing units functioning in the country, both in public and private sector. Approximately 65.62% of procurement needs of Army, Air Force and Navy for the year 2015-16 have been met through indigenous sources.

(c) The total value of production of DPSUs and Ordnance Factory Board (OFB) for the year 2015-16 is Rs. 52,968 crore. The data on the quantum of production by Indian private defence companies is not maintained.

(d) So far 36 FDI proposals / joint ventures have been approved in defence sector for manufacture of various defence equipments. Out of these 36, 32 approvals are for Indian Private Companies and 04 approvals are for DPSUs. Of these 32, 04 have 49% FDI and remaining 28 have FDI less than 49%. Of the 04 proposals approved for DPSUs, 01 has 50% FDI and the other 03 have 26% FDI.
