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

## **UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.3858**

TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 24<sup>TH</sup> MARCH, 2017

## **COASTAL RADAR STATIONS**

3858. ADV. M. UDHAYAKUMAR:

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

- (a) whether the Government proposes to set up coastal radar stations in friendly Indian Ocean Littoral nations to beef up coastal surveillance; and
- (b) if so, the details thereof?

## A N S W E R

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF DEFENCE

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(a) & (b): In an effort to improve India's Maritime Domain Awareness, the Government has been providing assistance to Indian Ocean littoral nations in setting up of Coastal Radar Stations. These countries include Mauritius, Seychelles and Maldives. The data received from the Coastal Radar Stations in these countries is used to enhance our overall maritime domain awareness.

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