## GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF DEFENCE DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.5622 TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 7<sup>TH</sup> APRIL, 2017 WAR MEMORIALS

## 5622. SHRI SUNIL KUMAR SINGH:

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

(a) the total number of Indian soldiers sacrificed their lives while doing their duties for the last fifty years;

(b) whether national war memorials have been built / are being built;

(c) if so, the details thereof;

(d) whether the Government provides some assistance or allocates funds for building martyrøs memorial when a soldier die; and

(e) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?

## <u>ANSWER</u>

MINISTER OF STATE	(DR. SUBHASH BHAMRE)
IN THE MINISTRY OF DEFENCE	
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(a) Information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.

(b) & (c): The Cabinet in its meeting held on 7<sup>th</sup> October 2015 has approved construction of the National War Memorial at C Hexagon, East of India Gate, New Delhi. The tentative time frame for project completion is five years.

(d) & (e): There are no such provisions at present.

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