GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF DEFENCE DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.1111 TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 21ST JULY, 2017

SCORPENE-CLASS SUBMARINE

1111. SHRI C. MAHENDRAN:

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

(a) whether the second Scorpene-class submarine is ready for surface sea trials;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether this will offer extra power to the Navy; and

(d) if so, the details thereof along with the details of construction and money spent in this regard?

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(a) to (d): Six submarines are under construction under Project 75 at the Mazagon Dock Shipbuilders Ltd, Mumbai. The first submarine is scheduled to be delivered in August, 2017. The second submarine was launched in January 2017 and is scheduled for delivery in December, 2017. The induction of the Kalvari class submarines will enhance the capabilities of the Indian Navy to meet envisaged threats and missions.
