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

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.941

TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 21ST JULY, 2017

DEFENCE PARKS

941. SHRI KUNDARIYA MOHAN BHAI KALYANJI BHAI:

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

- (a) whether the Union Government has received any proposal from the State Governments for assistance to develop / establish Defence parks;
- (b) if so, the total number of proposals received so far along with the status of these proposals;
- (c) the details of policy / schemes for assistance to promote / establish Defence Parks in States; and
- (d) whether there is any planning / consideration to declare scheme of assistance for promotion of Defence Parks and if so the details thereof?

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MINISTER OF STATE
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- (a) & (b): Department of Industrial Policy and Promotion, Ministry of Commerce and Industry had received two project proposals to establish Defence Parks under Modified Industrial Infrastructure Upgradation Scheme (MIIUS). One proposal was from Government of Kerala to establish Defence Park at Pallakad (Kerala). The project at KINFRA Defence Park, Pallakad (Kerala) was sanctioned on 28.03.2016 with project cost of Rs.131.35 crore involving central grant of Rs.50.00 crore. Another project proposal was received from Gujarat Industrial Development Corporation for establishment of Defence Park at Sanand (Gujarat). The proposal was not considered as the MIIUS permits sanction of maximum two projects per State and when this proposal was received, two proposals had already been given 'in-principle' approval in the State of Gujarat.
- (c) & (d): Government does not have any specific policy / scheme for assistance to promote / establish Defence Parks in States. There is no proposal at present to declare any specific scheme for providing assistance for promotion of Defence Parks.
