

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF DEFENCE  
DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE  
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.5511  
TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 28<sup>TH</sup> MARCH, 2018

NATIONAL WAR MEMORIAL

5511. SHRI ASHWINI KUMAR:

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

- (a) whether the Government proposes to construct a National War Memorial in Delhi;
- (b) if so, the details thereof and the location identified for the purpose;
- (c) the names / details of the persons in whose memories it is to be constructed; and
- (d) whether any such memorial exists anywhere in the country and if so, the details thereof?

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MINISTER OF STATE (DR. SUBHASH BHAMRE)  
IN THE MINISTRY OF DEFENCE

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(डा. सुभाष भामरे)

**(a) to (d): Yes, Madam. The National War Memorial is being constructed in the area around canopy at 'C' Hexagon, east of India Gate in memory of about 22,500 Indian soldiers who made the supreme sacrifice in national interest and in defence of the sovereignty and integrity of the country in the post-independence period. There are about 120 regional War Memorials, including individual memorials under various commands.**

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