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

## UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.1930 TO BE ANSWERED ON 03<sup>rd</sup> JULY, 2019

## MISSILE DEFENCE SYSTEM

1930. SHRI VIJAY KUMAR DUBEY:

SHRI PINAKI MISHRA:

SHRI KODIKUNNIL SURESH:

SHRI REBATI TRIPURA:

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

- (a) whether the Government is planning to acquire advanced S-400 'Air Missile Defence System' from Russia;
- (b) if so, the details thereof along with the cost of the deal;
- (c) whether other countries including the United States of America have expressed concerns on the deal and apprised India of the same; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof and the reaction of the Government thereto?

## A N S W E R

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF DEFENCE (SHRI SHRIPAD NAIK)

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- (a) & (b): A contract has been signed for delivery of S-400 system from Russia.
- (c) & (d): Government takes sovereign decisions based on threat perception, operational and technological aspects to keep the Armed Forces in a state of readiness to meet the entire spectrum of security challenges.

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