GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF DEFENCE DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE

LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3994

TO BE ANSWERED ON 24th March, 2023

CONSTRUCTION RESTRICTION NEAR DEFENCE ESTABLISHMENTS

3994. SHRI ASADUDDIN OWAISI:

Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has reduced the construction restrictions near the defence establishments to just 50 meters from 500 meters;
- (b) if so, whether it is applicable only to Naval installations;
- (c) whether the Government has also reduced construction restrictions near army and air force establishments across the country especially in Telangana after request from the Government of Telangana;
- (d) if so, the details thereof, if not, the reasons therefor; and
- (e) the steps taken by the Government to reduce restrictions near defence establishments in States?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF DEFENCE

(SHRI AJAY BHATT)

(a) to (e): The revised NoC guidelines issued by MoD on 23.12.2022 reducing the restricted distance in vicinity of defence establishment of Army, Navy and Coast Guard at specific locations to 50 metre have been kept in abeyance till standard operating procedure is formulated in consultation with stakeholders for issue of NoCs.
