GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF DEFENCE DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE

LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 4062

TO BE ANSWERED ON 24th March, 2023

ORDNANCE FACTORY

4062. SHRI SUBRAT PATHAK: SHRI RAVI KISHAN: SHRI RAVINDRA KUSHWAHA:

Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether any special provision has been made for Defence sector in the Budget;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the number of ordnance factories set up during the last three years along with the number of such factories proposed to be set up under Atmanirbhar Bharat initiative?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF DEFENCE

(SHRI AJAY BHATT)

(a) to (c): The total allocation of Rs. 5,93,537.64 Crore has been made for Ministry of Defence in BE 2023-24. The projected requirements of Directorate of Ordnance (Coordination & Service) have been fully met and an amount of Rs. 433.50 Crore and Rs. 1,315 Crore have been allocated in BE 2023-24 under Revenue and Capital Heads respectively. No new Ordnance Factory has been set up during the last three years and at present there is no such proposal to set up ordnance factories under Atmanirbhar Bharat Initiative.
