GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF DEFENCE DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE PRODUCTION LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.2210 TO BE ANSWERED ON 4th March, 2020

MAKE IN INDIA IN DEFENCE SECTOR

2210. DR. KALANIDHI VEERASWAMY:

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

(a) the details of the number of defence products manufactured so far under Make in India Scheme within the country;

(b) the details of the number of products exported during the said period;

(c) whether the Government has set any target in this regard and if so, the details thereof along with the achievements made so far;

(d) whether the original target of this scheme have yet to be achieved on a large scale; and

(e) if so, the details thereof and the reasons therefor and the manner in which the Government proposes to achieve its original target within the fixed time?

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MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF DEFENCE रक्षा राज्य मंत्री

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(a) to (e): A statement is attached.

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) TO (e) OF LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2210 FOR ANSWER ON 04.03.2020 REGARDING 'MAKE IN INDIA IN DEFENCE SECTOR'.

(a) Defence products are manufactured based on the requirements of the Armed Forces. Some of the significant products/platforms manufactured by Defence Public Sector Undertaking/Ordnance Factory Board include 155mm Artillery Gun system 'Dhanush', Light Combat Aircraft 'Tejas', Dornier Do-228, Advanced Light Helicopter (Dhruv), 'Akash' Surface to Air Missile system, Attack Submarine 'INS Kalvari', 'INS Chennai', Anti-Submarine Warfare Corvette (ASWC), Water Jet Fast Attack Crafts (WJFAC), Offshore Patrol Vessels (OPVs), Varunastra Heavy Weight Torpedo, etc.

(b) Based on the Authorisation/License issued by Department of Defence Production and actual exports by DPSUs/OFB, some of major items exported are Fast Patrol Vessels, Coastal Surveillance System (CSS), Light Weight Torpedoes, Do-228 Aircraft, Wheeled Infantry Carrier, Light Specialist Vehicle, Mine Protected Vehicle, Passive Night Sights, Battle Field Surveillance Radar Extended Range, Integrated Anti-Submarine Warfare, Light Weight Torpedo Launcher and Parts, Zen Advanced Weapons Simulator, Personal Protective items, 155mm Artillery Gun Ammunition, Small Arms and Ammunitions, etc.

(c) to (e): Targets for the production of indigenous defence equipment are decided based on requirements of the Armed Forces. Armed Forces undertake Capital procurement of defence equipment from various domestic as well as foreign vendors, based on threat perception, operational challenges and technological changes so as to keep the Armed Forces in a state of readiness to meet the entire spectrum of security challenges.
