

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF DEFENCE
DEPARTMENT OF MILITARY AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.4628
TO BE ANSWERED ON 24th March, 2021

ACCOMODATION FOR OFFICERS AND SOLDIERS

4628. SHRI KAPIL MORESHWAR PATIL:
SHRIMATI RAKSHA NIKHIL KHADSE:
SHRI MANOJ KOTAK:

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

- (a) whether the Government has fixed any target to provide accomodation to all married officers/soldiers under the accomodation facility being provided to them and if so, the details thereof;
- (b) whether many housing projects are lying pending and if so, the details thereof and the initiatives of the Government to complete these pending projects; and
- (c) whether the Government has made any special initiative to provide comfortable accomodation and other facilities to the army officers/soldiers and if so, the details thereof?

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MINISTER OF STATE
IN THE MINISTRY OF DEFENCE

(SHRI SHRIPAD NAIK)

- (a) Yes, Sir. 1,98,881 Dwelling Units (DUs) were planned for construction through Married Accommodation Project (MAP) route. The current status is as under:-

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Phases	Total	Completed	Remarks
Ph-I	57,875	57,875	MAP Ph-I Completed
Ph-II	69,904	58,062	Probable Date of Completion (PDC) of MAP Ph-II is December 2023.

There was a plan to construct 71,102 DUs under MAP Ph-III, but an in-principle decision has been taken to construct further married accommodations through the Annual Major Works Programme (AMWP) route, instead of MAP.

(b) No, Sir. Currently, 38 contracts for balance 11,842 DUs of MAP Phase-II are in progress with a targeted PDC of December, 2023.

(c) Yes, Sir. In addition to MAP, critically required DUs are being taken up through the AMWP route by the respective Armed Forces.

Further, hiring of houses is undertaken for Defence Personnel to meet the deficiency of housing. Also, the Service Personnel have been authorized House Rent Allowance (HRA) / Compensation in Lieu of Quarter (CILQ) / Family Accommodation Allowance (FAA).
