GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF DEFENCE DEPARTMENT OF MILITARY AFFAIRS

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UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.2205

TO BE ANSWERED ON 10th DECEMBER, 2021

ENVIRONMENTAL CONTROL SYSTEM IN MAIN BATTLE TANKS

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Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of T90 Main Battle Tanks (MBTs) out of the total existing MBTs fitted with environmental control system;
- (b) the current status of the tender for procurement of environmental control system and auxiliary power units for T90 MBTs;
- (c) the time when the Ministry first received the request for procurement of environmental control system and auxiliary power units for T90 MBTs;
- (d) the total number of T90 MBTs that were in need of environmental control system and auxiliary power units when the Ministry first received the proposal; and
- (e) the reasons for the delay in procurement of such system?

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- (a) None of the T-90 tanks in service in Indian Army are fitted with Environmental Control System.
- (b) It is currently at prototype development stage.
- (c) In September, 2003.
- (d) Quantity 1657.
- (e) The case is following the process of procurement cycle.
