

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF DEFENCE
DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE
LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1792
TO BE ANSWERED ON 11TH FEBRUARY, 2022

SHAURYA CHAKRA TO DEFENCE PERSONNEL AND CIVILIANS

1792. SHRI GANESH SINGH:

Will the Minister of DEFENCE
be pleased to state:

- (a) whether defence personnel and civilians are awarded the Shaurya Chakra for their indomitable courage;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether any allowance is also provided to their dependents after their death;
- (d) if so, whether the policy of providing allowance is same for defence personnel and civilians; and
- (e) if so, the details thereof?

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MINISTER OF STATE
IN THE MINISTRY OF DEFENCE

(SHRI AJAY BHATT)

(a) & (b): Yes, Sir. The Shaurya Chakra is awarded for defence personnel and civilians for gallantry otherwise than in the face of enemy.

(c) Yes, Sir.

(d) & (e): The policy of providing allowance is same for defence personnel and civilians. The present rate of monetary allowance is Rs. 6000/- per month.
