# GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF DEFENCE DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE PRODUCTION

# LOK SABHA

# **UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1097**

TO BE ANSWERED ON 05<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER, 2025

## **DEFENCE MANUFACTURING SCHEMES**

#### 1097. SHRI P V MIDHUN REDDY:

Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of centrally sponsored Defence manufacturing schemes initiated under the Aatmanirbhar programme of the Government;
- (b) the percentage of such schemes initiated in Andhra Pradesh;
- (c) whether the Government proposes to distribute fairly defence equipment manufacturing to low-development areas of the country;
- (d) if so, the details thereof along with the strategies adopted by the Government for the same; and
- (e) if not, the reasons therefor?

## ANSWER

## MINISTER OF STATE

(SHRI SANJAY SETH)

### IN THE MINISTRY OF DEFENCE

- (a) & (b) There is no centrally sponsored scheme for defence manufacturing in Ministry of Defence.
- (c) & (e) Sixteen Defence Public Sector Undertakings (DPSUs), including seven newly incorporated entities formed on 01 October 2021 from the corporatisation of the erstwhile Ordnance Factory Board and its 41 ordnance factories, are spread across various regions of the country. These Defence Public Sector Undertakings are having presence in different States/Union Territories and collectively enabling self-reliance in defence sector.

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