

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF DEFENCE
DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE PRODUCTION
LOK SABHA**

**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.2124
TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 11TH DECEMBER, 2015**

DEFENCE PARKS

2124. SHRI MULLAPPALLY RAMACHANDRAN:

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

- (a) whether the Government proposes to set up Defence Parks in the country including West Bengal and Kerala;
- (b) if so, the details thereof including the major activities envisaged in proposed parks, State / UT-wise; and
- (c) the estimated cost and the time of completion of these parks?

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MINISTER OF STATE
IN THE MINISTRY OF DEFENCE

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

**STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) TO (c) OF LOK SABHA
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(1) Department of Industrial Policy and Promotion (DIPP) under the Ministry of Commerce and Industry has accorded 'in principle approval' for the project at Kinfra Defence Park, Ottapalam (Distt.-Palakkad), Kerala.

(2) The major activities as envisaged in proposed park as per Detailed Feasibility Report are creation of facilities like CETP, storm water drainage, rain water harvesting, internal roads, boundary wall entry gate, water supply system, power supply distribution, dormitory, hostel facility, research and development, incubation centre, quality certification centre, warehouse training centre and environment testing facility.

(3) The cost of the project is Rs.131.35 crore including Central Grant of Rs.50 crore. The proposed Defence Park at Ottapalam (Distt.-Palakkad), is at 'in principle' approval stage. As per 'Modified Industrial Infrastructure Upgradation Scheme (MIUS)' guidelines, the completion time of the project is 24 months from the date of final approval.
