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UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.1431
TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 4TH MARCH, 2016

SAFETY OF DEFENCE SCIENTISTS

1431. DR. RAVINDRA KUMAR RAY:

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

- (a) whether the Government is taking necessary steps to ensure the safety of Defence Scientists; and
- (b) if so, the details thereof?

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MINISTER OF DEFENCE

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(SHRI MANOHAR PARRIKAR)

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(a) & (b): Yes, Madam. The following steps have been taken by the Defence Research and Development Organisation (DRDO) to ensure the safety of Defence Scientists.

É In each laboratory / establishment, Quality, Reliability and Safety (QRS) Cell is functioning to oversee safety aspects of the scientists.

É Standard Operating Procedure (SOP) / Guidelines have been issued by Directorate of Quality, Reliability and Safety of DRDO HQrs.

É All scientists and staff are regularly sensitized for the safety measures available in the laboratory / establishment.
