GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF DEFENCE DEPARTMENT OF EX-SERVICEMEN WELFARE LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.485

TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 26TH FEBRUARY, 2016

RESETTLEMENT OF DEFENCE PERSONNEL

485. SHRI ASHOK MAHADEORAO NETE: SHRI RAVNEET SINGH:

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

- (a) the approximate number of persons who retire every year from the Armed Forces;
- (b) whether the Government is imparting any training to the personnel of the Armed Forces before their retirement;
- (c) whether Indian Institute of Management has also come forward to help them in finding employment;
- (d) if so, the details thereof including the schemes formulated and fund allocated / utilised for encouraging entrepreneurship among ex-servicemen in the country;
- (e) the number of ex-servicemen selected for various jobs in the Central Government departments during the last three years in the country; and
- (f) the steps being taken by the Government to provide them more job opportunities?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE
IN THE MINISTRY OF DEFENCE

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- (a) Approximately, 55,000 personnel retire annually from the armed forces.
- (b) Yes, Madam.
- (c) Yes, Madam.

- (d) Indian Institutes of Management Ahmedabad, Lucknow and Indore are conducting 24 weeks Management Courses regularly for Armed Forces personnel. There is no proposal from them for encouraging entrepreneurship among Ex-servicemen.
- (e) Details of Ex-Servicemen (ESM) selected for various jobs in the Central Government Departments during the last three years in the country is at Annexure.
- (f) To facilitate ESM to get suitable employment, the following steps are taken by the Government:-
 - (i) Dissemination of information on Directorate General Resettlement (DGR) website regarding Open Competitive Examination for various posts, dates and syllabus etc.
 - (ii) DGR signed a Memorandum of Understanding with Confederation of Indian Industry to arrange job fairs by Corporate Sectors to provide additional employment opportunities to ESM.
 - (iii) A job portal has been hosted by DGR wherein ESM an upload their Bio-data and corporate / other sectors can approach them and pick as per their requirement.
 - (iv) Organize ESM Job Fairs Pan India to provide an interface between Corporate & ESM.
 - (v) Regular interaction with corporate houses to generate entrepreneur / employment opportunities for ESM.

ANNEXURE REFERRED IN THE REPLY GIVEN IN PART (e) OF LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 485 FOR ANSWER ON 26.2.2016

<u>Details of Ex-Servicemen (ESM) selected for Government jobs during last three years:</u>

S. No.	Year	Central Government Departments	Central Para Military Forces
(i)	2013	3826	129
(ii)	2014	4432	01
(iii)	2015	2151	90
