GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF DEFENCE DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.2134

TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 6TH MAY, 2016

JOINT PATROLLING WITH UNITED STATES IN ASIA PACIFIC

2134. DR. P. VENUGOPAL:

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

- (a) whether the Government has ruled out joint patrolling with the United States in Asia Pacific; and
- (b) if so, the details thereof and the reasons therefor?

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MINISTER OF DEFENCE

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(a) & (b): Government takes all measures to ensure our maritime security. However, at present, these measures do not include joint patrolling with foreign navies including United States.
