

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.3386
TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 5TH AUGUST, 2016

WOMEN OFFICERS IN ARMED FORCES

3386. SHRI MANSHANKAR NINAMA:

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

- (a) the total number of women officers recruited in all the three wings of defence forces during the last three years and the current year, service-wise; and
- (b) the details of women officers who received gallantry award in all three wings of defence forces, service-wise?

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MINISTER OF DEFENCE
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(a) The details of women officers (excluding medical and dental branch) recruited during the last three years and the current year, Services-wise are as under:-

Year	Army	Navy	Air Force
2013	127	50	144
2014	104	57	155
2015	72	35	223
2016	37	20	85
	(Till date)	(Till 22.7.2016)	(Till 1.7.2016)

(b) One women officer in Army has been conferred with Sena Medal (Gallantry) on the occasion of Independence Day 2010. No Women Officer has received gallantry award in Navy and Air Force.
