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

## **UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.4588**

TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 12<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST, 2016

## SHORTAGE OF RAW MATERIALS

4588. SHRI RAKESH SINGH:

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

- (a) whether the vehicle factory, Jabalpur is constantly facing shortage of raw materials for manufacturing military vehicles;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the corrective measures taken by the Government in this regard?

## A N S W E R

MINISTER OF DEFENCE

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(SHRI MANOHAR PARRIKAR)

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- (a) There is no constant shortage of raw materials for manufacturing military vehicles at Vehicle Factory Jabalpur (VFJ). Materials are being received from suppliers regularly to the extent orders are placed. However, sometimes when the input materials get rejected due to quality problems, there are temporary bottlenecks in the production process which get recovered in due course.
- (b) & (c): Do not arise in view of reply at (a) above.

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