

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
DEFENCE  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:5486  
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LACK OF INFRASTRUCTURAL FACILITIES  
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**Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether the Government are aware of the inadequate infrastructural facilities available for the Army personnel patrolling the sensitive border areas;
- (b) if so, the reasons therefor; and
- (c) the steps taken to strengthen their infrastructural facilities and to equip them with the basic necessities?

**Answer**

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF DEFENCE (SHRI U.V. KRISHNAM RAJU)

(a) to (c): Infrastructural facilities available to the army personnel are adequate. This notwithstanding, further improvement in this regard is a continuous process.