

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
DEFENCE
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3823
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STATUS OF MIG-29
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Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government are aware that the performance of MIG-29 does not match with the requirement of IAF;
- (b) whether the Russian manufacturers of MIG-29 have also accepted certain deficiency in the design of the aircraft; and
- (c) if so, the remedial steps proposed to be taken in that regard?

Answer

MINISTER OF DEFENCE (SHRI GEORGE FERNANDES)

- (a) MIG-29 is meeting the requirements of Indian Air force.
- (b) No, Sir.
- (c) Does not arise.