

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
DEFENCE
LOK SABHA**

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ACQUISITION OF EQUIPMENT FOR ARMED FORCES
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Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Defence Acquisition Council of the Ministry met recently to have discussion on several acquisitions for the armed forces;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the extent to which acquisitions have been cleared and completed to meet the emerging threat?

Answer

MINISTER OF THE STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF DEFENCE (SHRI A.K. ANTONY)

(a) to (c): The Defence Acquisition Council (DAC) meets regularly. It last met in the second week of April 2010. A total of 25 capital acquisition proposals were discussed in the meeting. The proposals are progressed in accordance with the provisions of the Defence Procurement Procedure.