

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
DEFENCE
LOK SABHA**

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COMPUTERISATION OF LAND RECORDS
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Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government proposes to computerize the land records of Defence Estates Department;
- (b) if so, the details thereof indicating the targets fixed in this regard;
- (c) the time by which the computerization work is likely to be completed;
- (d) the total expenditure likely to be incurred thereon; and
- (e) the manner in which the computerization will improve the functioning of Defence Estates Departments?

Answer

MINISTER OF DEFENCE (SHRI A.K. ANTONY)

- (a) to (d): A project for computerization of records of Defence Estates Department Records is under implementation involving an expenditure of Rs.252.35 lakhs. It is likely to be completed by October 2010.
- (e) The Defence Estates Department is holding records of approximately 17.3 lakh acres of defence land throughout the country. Computerization of land records will enable the Department to improve its land management by way of easy access to the land records held in the field offices.