GOVERNMENT OF INDIA DEFENCE LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1172 ANSWERED ON:02.08.2010 OUTSOURCING OF DEFENCE TRAINING Bajwa Shri Partap Singh

Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Army proposes to outsource the training of officers to private firms;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether the proposal takes into account the necessary security concerns in this regard;and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF DEFENCE(SHRI A.K. ANTONY)

(a) to (d): There is no proposal to outsource institutionalized military facets of training of officers to private firms. However, certain Information Technology (IT) related training Courses are being outsourced. The details are attached at Appendix. The syllabus of Courses is technical in nature. There are no security concerns.