

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
DEFENCE
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3537
ANSWERED ON:16.08.2010
FLEET STRENGTH OF COAST GUARD
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Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:

- (a) the number and types of holicopters, aircraft, etc. in the fleet of Indian Coast Guard with their locations at present;
- (b) whether there is any proposal to increase the fleet strength; and
- (c) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF DEFENCE (SHRI A.K. ANTONY)

(a) to (c): A statement is attached.

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) TO (c) OF LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3537 FOR ANSWER ON 16.8.2010

There are 24 aircrafts and 21 helicopters including Advanced Light Helicopters (ALH) in Indian Coast Guard located at various units across the country. The review of the existing strength of the fleet of the Indian Coast Guard is a continuous process.