

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
DEFENCE
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2164
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BRAHMOS MISSILE
Agarwal Shri Jai Prakash

Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has decided to modify/re-design the Brahmos Missile so as to augment its striking capabilities;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the funds allocated for the same?

Answer

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

(a) to (c): An improved version (Block-II) with upgraded software providing variety of capabilities to suit engagement of land-based targets (Army Version) has already been developed and test fired successfully in March 2009.