

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
DEFENCE
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1060
ANSWERED ON:15.11.2010
DELIVERY OF SUBMARINES
Pal Shri Jagdambika

Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the delivery of submarines being built under Project P 75-I by Mazagon Docks Ltd. (MDL) has been inordinately delayed;
- (b) if so, the details thereof and the reasons therefor;
- (c) the steps taken to minimize the delay;
- (d) whether despite such delays, the MDL has been awarded contracts to build more submarines under the said project; and
- (e) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

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

- (a): Acceptance of Necessity for the construction of submarines under Project-75 (India) has been accorded. The proposal is being progressed. No contract has been concluded so far with M/s Mazagon Docks Ltd. (MDL) for construction of submarines under Project-75 (India).
- (b) to (e): Do not arise.