

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
DEFENCE
LOK SABHA**

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HELICOPTER ASSEMBLY UNIT
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Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether a Helicopter assembly unit is proposed to be set up in Hyderabad;
- (b) if so, the details thereof including the financial allocations proposed and Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) signed in this regard;
- (c) the objective outlined for the unit; and
- (d) the time by which the unit is likely to be functional?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF DEFENCE (SHRI M.M. PALLAM RAJU)

- (a) No, Madam. No investment in Helicopter unit has been proposed to be done by Ministry of Defence in Hyderabad. However, the TATA group has entered into an arrangement about which the Ministry does not have the complete information.
- (b) to (d): Do not arise.