

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
DEFENCE
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:191
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RELOCATION OF REGIMENTAL CENTRE
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Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of various Indian Army Regimental Centres functioning in the country;
- (b) whether requests have been received for shifting some of them, including Dogra Regimental Centre from their present location;
- (c) if so, the details thereof; and
- (d) the time by which the relocation work is likely to be completed?

Answer

MINISTER OF DEFENCE(SHRI A.K. ANTONY)

- (a) There are 23 Regimental Centres functioning in various parts of the country.
- (b) to (d): A request from the Chief Minister, Himachal Pradesh was received in November, 2010, to shift the Dogra Regimental Centre from Faizabad, Uttar Pradesh to District Una, Himachal Pradesh. Dogra Regimental Centre was moved from Meerut to Faizabad in 1976 and large scale infrastructure was developed for the Centre. Hence, shifting of Dogra Regimental Centre from Faizabad to Una has not been found practically and financially viable.