GOVERNMENT OF INDIA DEFENCE LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1279 ANSWERED ON:08.08.2011 SECURITY OF NAVAL BASE M.Thambidurai Dr.

Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Navy has any Naval base security plan in place;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether the Navy also plans to procure 16 coastal anti-submarine vessels in this regard; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF DEFENCE (SHRI A.K. ANTONY)

(a) to (d): Indian Navy has Naval base security plan in place. This includes security measures like Quick Reaction Group (QRG)/Quick Reaction Team (QRT), sentries at appropriate positions within the Naval harbours, Landward Access Control, Seaward Access Control etc. Procurement of naval assets including coastal anti-submarine vessels is an on going process depending upon Navy's requirements and threats.