

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
DEFENCE
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3969
ANSWERED ON:30.04.2012
LISTING OF NCC CADETS
Dhruvanarayana Shri R. ;Vijayan Shri A.K.S.

Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has undertaken listing of National Cadet Corps (NCC) cadets recently;
- (b) if so, the percentage of new enlistment during the last three years;
- (c) whether the Government proposes to substantially raise the strength of NCC Cadets in the country;
- (d) if so, the details thereof;
- (e) the yardstick in place to evaluate their contribution; and
- (f) the percentage of cadets inducted into the armed forces during the last three years?

Answer

MINISTER OF DEFENCE (SHRI A.K. ANTONY)

(a) & (b): Yes, Madam. A record of enrolment of NCC cadets is regularly maintained. The percentage of enrolment of NCC cadets during the last three years is as under:

Year	Enrolled Cadet Strength	New enrolment during the year with percentage
------	-------------------------	---

2009	1205217	602609 (50%)
------	---------	--------------

2010	1259456	629728 (50%)
------	---------	--------------

2011	1236338	618169 (50%)
------	---------	--------------

(c) & (d): Government has already accorded sanction for increase in sanctioned NCC cadet strength by 2 lakh from 13 to 15 lakh cadets by raising 5 NCC Group Headquarters and 60 NCC Units in a phased manner over a period of 5 years w.e.f. year 2010-11. During the year 2010-11, one NCC Group Headquarter and 12 NCC Units have been raised to induct 40,000 NCC cadets.

(e) There is no specific yardstick to evaluate the contribution of NCC cadets. However, training in NCC is evaluated by conducting 'A', 'B' & 'C' Certificate examinations. The NCC training is also validated and assessed through various centrally organized NCC camps, adventure camps and leadership courses.

(f) Data of NCC cadets selected for service in the various wings of the armed forces is not maintained collectively.