

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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ROLE OF PSUs IN INDIGENOUS PRODUCTION
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Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:

- (a) the efforts made by the Defence Public Sector Undertakings (PSUs) to promote indigenous production in defence sector;
- (b) the share of each of the PSUs in indigenous defence production in terms of percentage; and
- (c) the details of the assistance given by each of the PSUs in training and logistics in regard to indigenization of defence production?

Answer

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

(a) Defence PSUs are taking various initiatives to promote indigenous production and to widen the Defence Industrial Base. These include development of indigenous vendors, registration of new vendors, policy initiatives for greater private sector participation etc., outsourcing and active participation of MSMEs in their production programmes.

(b) Information is being collected.

(c) Training and support to vendors is a regular activity of each Defence PSU in which standards of quality, processes, design, manufacturing etc. are explained to them. Necessary feedback is also giving to vendors for improvement in quality, cost and delivery aspects.