

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
DEFENCE
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:7216
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NATIONAL WAR MEMORIAL
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Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:

- (a) the present status of the construction of National War Memorial for Commemorating the sacrifices of soldiers;
- (b) the reasons for delay in the project; and
- (c) the steps being taken/proposed to be taken to check further delay?

Answer

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

- (a) & (b): Construction of National War Memorial has not commenced as its location has not yet been finalized.
- (c) A Group of Ministers (GoM) has been constituted to finalise the location of National War Memorial.