GOVERNMENT OF INDIA DEFENCE LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:545 ANSWERED ON:13.08.2012 MODERNISATION OF ORDNANCE FACTORIES Patil Shri A.T. Nana

Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:

- (a) the expenditure incurred by the Government on modernisation/ upgradation of machineries and equipment of the ordnance factories during the last three years, factory-wise;
- (b) the achievements made against the production targets fixed after the Modernisation work;
- (c) whether the Government has provided any specific institutional training for operating the modern machinery; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

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

(a) Expenditure incurred by Ordnance Factory Board on modernisation / upgradation of machineries equipment of the Ordnance Factories during the last three years are as under: (Factory-wise date are given at Annexure-I).

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(Rs. in Crore)

Financial year Expenditure Expenditure Total under RR under NC Expenditure

2009-10 228.49 106.90 335.39
2010-11 208.15 327.21 535.36
2011-12 309.14 162.63 471.77
(Prov.)

Total 745.78 596.74 1342.52

RR : Renewal & Replacement

NC : New Capital
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(Rs in Crore)
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Financial year Production Achievements % increase in Target (BE) achievements over the previous year
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2009-10 9662 8715 21
2010-11 11208 11215 29
2011-12 12391 12389 10
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(c) & (d) As per Supply order clause of each of the Plant & Machinery, training for operating the Plant and Machinery under procurement is imparted by the supplier during the course of Pre-Dispatch-Inspection and Erection commissioning of the plant.