

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
DEFENCE
LOK SABHA**

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AUTO PILOT SYSTEM FOR JAGUAR AIRCRAFT
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Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has been unsuccessful in speeding up the purchase of auto pilot system for Jaguar aircraft;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

MINISTER OF THE STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF DEFENCE (SHRI A.K. ANTONY)

(a) to (c): Madam, integration of autopilot on Jaguar aircraft of the Indian Air Force is being undertaken in two phases. Procurement of autopilot for 55 Jaguar aircraft has been completed and commercial discussions for repeat procurement of additional 95 autopilots are under progress.