

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
DEFENCE
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:6302
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HELICOPTER BORNE AWACS
Pradhan Shri Nityananda

Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government proposes to purchase helicopter-borne early warning system to boost defence aviation wing;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether such a system is also proposed to be used to tackle naxal menace in the country;
- (d) if so, the details thereof;
- (e) whether it is proposed to be done under Public-Private mode; and
- (f) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF DEFENCE (SHRI A.K. ANTONY)

- (a) No, Madam. Presently, there is no such proposal to purchase helicopter-borne early warning system.
- (b) to (f): Does not arise.