

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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SPYING BY NATO FORCES
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Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the NATO Forces are suspected to have spied on India's aircraft carrier INS Vikramaditya;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the reaction of the Government in this regard?

Answer

MINISTER OF DEFENCE (SHRI A.K. ANTONY)

(a) to (c): INS Vikramaditya has been operating in the sea during trials and passage to India. Other ships and aircrafts also transit and operate in the sea and airspace. Indian Navy takes appropriate measures to safeguard sensitive electronic information.