

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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CLEARANCE OF PROPOSALS BY DAC

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Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Defence Acquisition Council (DAC) has cleared several proposals for the defence services during 2014-15;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the extent to which the Make in India policy guidelines has been considered by the Defence Acquisition Council in this regard?

Answer

MINISTER OF DEFENCE (SHRI MANOHAR PARRIKAR)

(a) to (c): Defence Acquisition Council (DAC) has approved 44 proposals for defence services during the year 2014-15. Some of the major proposals relate to tanks, submarines, helicopters and artillery guns. As per Defence Procurement Procedure (DPP)-2013, highest preference is given to Buy (Indian), Buy & Make (Indian) and Make (Indian) in that order and the lowest preference is given to Buy (Global) while categorising cases for approval of the DAC.