

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
DEFENCE  
LOK SABHA**

STARRED QUESTION NO:70  
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Shortage of Pilots in IAF  
Dhurve Smt. Jyoti

**Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:**

- (a) the number and the types of aircraft which are presently engaged for training of pilots in the Indian Air Force (IAF);
- (b) whether there is a shortage of pilots in IAF;
- (c) if so, the details thereof along with the reasons therefor; and
- (d) the steps being taken or proposed to be taken by the Government to meet the shortage?

**Answer**

MINISTER OF DEFENCE (SHRI MANOHAR PARRIKAR)

(a) to (d): A Statement is laid on the Table of the House.

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