

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
DEFENCE
LOK SABHA**

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Academic/Vocational Institutions in Defence Sector

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Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of academic / vocational institutes being run by his Ministry in the country, State / UT-wise;
- (b) whether candidates from defence background are given priority in admissions in these institutes and if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether students passing out from these institutes are given any priority in Government service and if so, the details thereof;
- (d) whether his Ministry is contemplating to open any academic or vocational education institutions in collaboration with private sector or State Government and if so, the details thereof; and
- (e) whether the Indian army is working as any plan to spread education in far flung areas and places of strategic importance and if so, the details thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF DEFENCE (SHRI MANOHAR PARRIKAR)

(a) to (e): The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.
