

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
DEFENCE
LOK SABHA**

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Interceptor Ballistic Missile Test

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Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has successfully conducted an interceptor ballistic missile test recently;
- (b) if so, the details thereof along with the salient features of the said missile;
- (c) whether India has made significant advances in developing endo-atmospheric and exo-atmospheric intercept system and if so, the details thereof; and
- (d) the details of the expenditure incurred / funds allocated for the purpose along with the year in which project on ballistic missile was started and the time by which it is likely to be inducted in the Armed Forces?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE (DR. SUBHASH BHAMRE)
IN THE MINISTRY OF DEFENCE
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(a) to (d): The desired information is sensitive in nature and its disclosure is not in the interest of National Security.
