

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF DEFENCE  
DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE PRODUCTION  
**LOK SABHA**

**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.541**  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 20<sup>th</sup> November, 2019

**AGREEMENT ON MANUFACTURING OF LCA**

541. SHRI NITESH GANGA DEB:

Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has signed MoU for manufacturing of Light Combat Aircraft (LCA) and the Su-30 MKI jets by Hindustan Aeronautics Limited; and  
(b) if so, the details thereof?

**A N S W E R**

MINISTER OF STATE  
IN THE MINISTRY OF DEFENCE

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(SHRI SHRIPAD NAIK)

(श्री श्रीपाद नाईक)

(a) & (b): The Government of India has not signed any MoU for manufacturing of either LCA Aircraft or Su-30 MKI Aircraft with Hindustan Aeronautics Limited (HAL).

However, for procurement of total 40 LCA [20 in Initial Operational Clearance (IOC) and 20 in Final Operational Clearance (FOC) configuration], two contracts have been signed between Govt. of India and HAL.

For procurement of total 222 Su-30 MKI Aircraft under license production for Indian Air Force (IAF), six contracts have been signed by the Govt. of India with HAL based on the Inter-Governmental Agreement (IGA) inked between India and Russia.

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