

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
DEFENCE  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:548  
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SETTING UP OF MILITARY STATION AT AVERI  
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**Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:**

the reply given to Unstarred Question No. 3625 dated August 18,2005 regarding setting up of Military Station at Averi and state the progress made regarding setting up of Military Station at Averi in Himachal Pradesh so far?

**Answer**

MINISTER OF DEFENCE (SHRI PRANAB MUKHERJEE)

The Forest Department, Government of Himachal Pradesh have taken up the case for transfer of the forest land measuring 261 Bighas 10 Biswas with the Ministry of Environment and Forest, Government of India for according final approval.

Rs. 170.51 lakhs have been deposited with the Himachal Pradesh Electricity Board for realignment of 66.16 KVA high tension power line. Concrete bases for erection of power line have been constructed and balance work is in progress.