

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
DEFENCE  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3060  
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MOU WITH KOREA COAST GUARD ON MARITIME COOPERATION  
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**Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:**

(a) whether the Director General of the Indian Coast Guard has signed MoU with Korea Coast Guard Commissioner-General on Maritime cooperation; and

(b) if so, the details and significance of the agreement?

**Answer**

MINISTER OF DEFENCE (SHRI PRANAB MUKHERJEE)

(a) Yes, Sir.

(b) The Memorandum of Understanding is aimed at bilateral maritime cooperation between the Indian Coast Guard and Korea Coast Guard in the field of search and rescue, pollution response and to deal with the issues of maritime crimes.