

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
DEFENCE
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1339
ANSWERED ON:30.11.2006
MANUFACTURING OF MIG-20 FIGHTER AIRCRAFT
Tripathy Shri Braja Kishore

Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:

- (a) Whether India proposes to manufacture MiG-20 fighter aircraft with the help of Russia ;
- (b) If so, the details of agreement signed with Russia ;
- (c) The details of production cost of RD-33 MK jet engine in comparison to import cost from Russia; and
- (d) The time by which the project is likely to be completed ?

Answer

MINISTER OF THE STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF DEFENCE PRODUCTION (RAO INDERJIT SINGH)

- (a) No, Sir.
- (b) Does not arise.
- (c)&(d) : No decision has been taken to productionise RD-33 MK engine.