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Title: The Minister of Defence laid the statement regarding status of implementation of the recommendations contained in the 8th Report of the Standing Committee on Defence on "Construction of Roads in Border Areas of the Country", pertaining to the Ministry of Defence.

THE MINISTER OF DEFENCE (SHRI A.K. ANTONY): Madam, I beg to lay the statement on the status of implementation of recommendations contained in the Eighth Report of the Standing Committee on Defence (15th Lok Sabha) in pursuance of the Direction 73A of the hon. Speaker vide Lok Sabha Bulletin – Part II dated September 1, 2004.

The Eighth Report of the Standing Committee on Defence (15th Lok Sabha) relates to 'Construction of Roads in Border Areas of the Country'. The Eighth Report was presented to Lok Sabha on 19.08.2010.

Action Taken Statements on the recommendations/observations contained in the Eighth Report were sent to the Standing Committee on Defence on 21.01.2011.

The present status of implementation of various recommendations made by the Committee in its Eighth Report is indicated in the Annexure to my Statement, which is laid on the Table of the House. I would not like to take the valuable time of the House to read out all the contents of the Annexure. I would request that this may be considered as read.
