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Military Ties With Foreign Countries

India has signed agreements / Memoranda of Understanding (MOUs) on defence cooperation with several countries, which cover a range of activities including training, exchange of personnel and financial aspects of cooperation. A list of such agreements / MOUs signed over the past three years is as under:-

**LIST OF MILITARY OR DEFENCE AGREEMENT SIGNED WITH FOREIGN COUNTRIES
FOR LAST THREE YEARS (FROM 1ST AUGUST 2014)**

Sl.No.	Name of Country	Title	Date of Signing
1	Bangladesh	MoU between the Coast Guards for establishment of Collaborative Relationship to Combat Transnational Illegal activities at sea and Develop Regional Cooperation	06.06.2015
		MoU on Defence Cooperation Framework	08.04.2017
2	Botswana	MoU on secondment of Indian Armed Forces Personnel to the Botswana Defence Forces	15.09.2014
3	France	Inter-Governmental Agreement for procurement of 36 Rafale aircrafts.	23.09.2016
4	Fiji	MoU on Bilateral Defence Cooperation	29.05.2017
5	Japan	MoU on Defence Cooperation and Exchange	01.09.2014
		Agreement concerning the Transfer of Defence Equipment and Technology.	12.12.2015
		Agreement concerning security measures for protection of classified military information	12.12.2015

6	Kazakhstan	MoU on Defence and Military Technical Cooperation	08.07.2015
7	Kenya	MoU on Cooperation in the field of Defence Cooperation	11.07.2016
8	Kyrgyzstan	Defence Cooperation Agreement	12.07.2015
9	Oman	MoU on Military Cooperation	22.05.2016
		MoU to cooperate on Maritime Issues	22.05.2016
		Protocol between the Air Forces on Flight Safety Information Exchange	22.05.2016
		MoU between the Coast Guards in the field of Marine Crime Prevention at Sea	22.05.2016
10	Portugal	MoU on Defence Cooperation	07.01.2017
11	Republic of Korea	MoU between the Defence Acquisition Program Administration of RoK and the Ministry of Defence, India to develop and strengthen defence industry cooperation and to establish Special Strategic Partnership including close cooperation in Naval Ship Building.	21.04.2017
12	Russia	Agreement on Training of Indian Armed Forces personnel in the Russian Military Training Establishment	11.12.2014
		Agreement between the MoD of India and the MoD of Russia on Cooperation in Aircraft Flight Safety	21.01.2015
		Agreement between the Government of the Republic of India and the Government of the Russian Federation on Cooperation in the field of Helicopter Engineering.	24.12.2015
		Agreement between the Government of the Republic of India and the Government of the Russian Federation on Supply of S-400 Triumph Air Defence Missile Systems to the Republic of India.	15.10.2016

		Agreement between the Government of the Republic of India and the Government of the Russian Federation for construction of follow-on ships of Project 11356 in Russia and in India.	15.10.2016
13	Seychelles	MoU for Cooperation in the field of Hydrography	11.03.2015
14	Singapore	Defence Cooperation Agreement	23.11.2015
15	Spain	MoU on sharing classified information	04.03.2015
16	Sudan	MoU on Defence Cooperation and Exchanges	13.03.2015
17	Tanzania	MoU on Cooperation in the field of Hydrography	19.06.2015
18	Turkmenistan	Agreement on Cooperation in the field of Defence	11.07.2015
19	United Arab Emirates	MoU concerning Mutual Protection of Classified Information	23.05.2016
		Memorandum of Understanding on Cooperation in the field of Defence Industry.	25.01.2017
20	USA	New Framework for the India-US Defence Relationship	03.06.2015
		Logistics Exchange Memorandum of Agreement (LEMOA)	29.08.2016
21	Vietnam	MoU between Coast Guards for establishment of collaborative relationship to combat transnational crime and develop mutual cooperation	25.05.2015
		Programme of Cooperation between the Vietnam People's Air Force & Air Defence and Indian Air Force	05.12.2016

The issue pertains to internal budgetary deliberations of the United States, on which we have no comments to offer.

India has defence partnerships with several countries including France, Israel, Russia and United States, as well as countries in our immediate and extended neighbourhood.

This information was given by Minister of State for Defence Dr. Subhash Bhamre in a written reply to Dr. Sanjay Sinh in Rajya Sabha today.

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