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## MINISTRY OF DEFENCE D(LANDS)

Subject: DEMOLITION OF RELIGIOUS STRUCTURES SITUATED ON DEFENCE LAND.

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JS(OF): in respect of Deptt.of Defence Production & Supplies.

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- 2. You may, therefore, issue suitable instructions to all the DEOs / CEOs in your Command in this regard. Such cases where proceedings have been completed under PPE Act 1971/ Cantt Act may be referred to us for obtaining approval of the Ministry of Defence.
- 3. Please acknowledge.

( R. R. Pillai ) Sr. Addl.Director General. Defence Estates.

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