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VICE ADMIRAL RAJU TAKES OVER AS DEPUTY CHIEF OF NAVY

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Vice Admiral KASZ Raju has taken over as Deputy Chief of the Naval Staff at Naval Headquarters on Friday, March 10, 1989. He was commissioned in the Indian Navy on January 1, 1958 and was selected for the fleet air arm where he specialised in air warfare. A test pilot and a fighter pilot of repute, he has flown more than 25 different types of aircraft in the Navy and the Air Force.

Admiral Raju held numerous important assignments both afloat and ashore, the notable among them being the commands of the Naval Air Station, Hansa, the aircraft carrier, Vikrant, the Western Fleet and Asstt Chief of Personnel. He is a graduate of the Defence Services Staff College, Wellington and the Royal College of Defence Studies, London. For his distinguished services of an exceptionally high order, he was awarded the Ati Vishisht Seva and the Nau Sena Medals.

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