

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA**  
**MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS**  
**RAJYA SABHA**  
**QUESTION NO 06.12.2010**  
**ANSWERED ON**  
**INTEGRATED COASTAL ZONE MANAGEMENT PROJECT .**

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Will the Minister of COALENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS be pleased to state :-

- (a) whether the Integrated Coastal Zone Management Project has been launched by Government in the recent past;
- (b) if so, the details thereof along with the salient features of the said project;
- (c) the details of the studies/works likely to be undertaken under the said project in various States;
- (d) the details of the expenditure likely to be incurred in the said project;
- (e) whether the World Bank has agreed to provide loan for the said project; and
- (f) if so, the details of the terms and conditions of the World Bank?

**ANSWER**

MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) FOR ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS

(SHRI JAIRAM RAMESH):

- (a) The Ministry of Environment and Forests has initiated an Integrated Coastal Zone Management Project (ICZMP) with the assistance of World Bank. The project was launched in September, 2010 and the project period is for 5 years. The States involved in the project include Orissa, West Bengal and Gujarat.
- (b), (c) & (d) The project involves preparation of Integrated Coastal Zone Management Plans for identified stretches of Gujarat, Orissa and West Bengal including hazard mapping of the coastal areas of the entire country. The total cost of the project is Rs. 1155.63 crores.
- (e) & (f) The World Bank has earmarked Rs. 898.12 crores as a soft loan under International Development Association (IDA).