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MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT, FOREST AND CLIMATE CHANGE

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Clean Technologies Training Programmes

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Will the Minister of ENVIRONMENT, FOREST AND CLIMATE CHANGE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether any training programme has been organised for adoption of clean technologies under the Clean Technology Scheme;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether there exists any mechanism by which the impact of such training programmes is assessed; and
- (d) if so, an appraisal of the effectiveness of such programmes?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT, FOREST AND CLIMATE CHANGE
(DR. MAHESH SHARMA)

(a) to (c) The Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change, for the purpose of controlling pollution had initiated a Clean Technology scheme during the period 1994-2017. Under the scheme, proposals were invited from various institutions in the country including entrepreneurs. The proposals, after examination, were approved and budget sanctioned as per the scheme. The above clean technology scheme has now been merged in Pollution Abatement scheme.

The scheme intended to promote pilot plant on clean technology in the area of waste minimization, energy conservation, pollution abatement, water recycling under use, etc. The approved projects include a component for training workshop, dissemination of information to stakeholders, etc.

(d) To evaluate the effectiveness of such clean technology projects, the Ministry has constituted an Expert Committee which includes expert and officers from Central Pollution Control Board. The projects are evaluated by the Committee and recommended to the industries for adoption.
