#### GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT, FOREST AND CLIMATE CHANGE

# LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION No. 6045 TO BE ANSWERED ON 11.04.2017

#### **Environmental Awareness Campaign**

#### 6045. SHRI P.K. BIJU:

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

- (a) whether the Government has conducted National Environmental Awareness Campaign in the Country;
- (b) if so, the details thereof along with the total number of such campaigns conducted during each of the last three years and the current year, State-wise;
- (c) whether the Government has assessed the outcome of the said campaign in the country; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof?

#### **ANSWER**

MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) FOR ENVIORNMENT, FOREST AND CLIMATE CHANGE (SHRI ANIL MADHAV DAVE)

- (a) & (b) Yes Sir. A total of 13,336 campaigns were conducted under National Environment Awareness Campaign (NEAC) during financial year 2014-15. A list of campaigns conducted during the year 2014-15 is at Annexure I. However NEAC could not be conducted during the financial years 2015-16 and 2016-17 due to inadequacy of funds.
- (c) & (d) Yes Sir, the evaluation of the programme on NEAC has been undertaken to make it more effective in promoting environmental awareness amongst all sections of society.

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### Annexure I

## Number of awareness campaign conducted during the financial year 2014-15 under NEAC Programme

| S.No. | State            | Number of awareness |
|-------|------------------|---------------------|
|       |                  | campaign            |
| 1.    | Andhra Pradesh   | 467                 |
| 2.    | Assam            | 903                 |
| 3.    | Bihar            | 1067                |
| 4.    | Chhattisgarh     | 202                 |
| 5.    | Delhi            | 110                 |
| 6.    | Gujarat          | 786                 |
| 7.    | Haryana          | 613                 |
| 8.    | Himachal Pradesh | 585                 |
| 9.    | Jammu & Kashmir  | 144                 |
| 10.   | Jharkhand        | 334                 |
| 11.   | Kerala           | 272                 |
| 12.   | Maharashtra      | 1186                |
| 13.   | Manipur          | 340                 |
| 14.   | Nagaland         | 171                 |
| 15.   | Orissa           | 1114                |
| 16.   | Punjab           | 461                 |
| 17.   | Rajasthan        | 295                 |
| 18.   | Tamil Nadu       | 635                 |
| 19.   | Telangana        | 313                 |
|       | Tripura          | 458                 |
|       | Uttar Pradesh    | 1520                |
|       | Uttarakhand      | 85                  |
| 23.   | West Bengal      | 1275                |
| Total |                  | 13336               |