

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT, FOREST AND CLIMATE CHANGE

LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1205
TO BE ANSWERED ON 22.12.2017

Forest land

1205. Shri Harinarayan Rajbhar:

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

- (a) the area of forest land in hectares utilised for various development projects with non forestry purposes in the country during the last three years, State/UT-wise including Uttar Pradesh;
- (b) the efforts made by Compensatory Afforestation Fund Management and Planning Authority (CAMPA) for compensatory afforestation during the last three years;
- (c) the area of land in hectares where compensatory afforestation has been done during the last three years; and
- (d) the details of the funds allocated and spent for the said purpose during the last three years, State/UT-wise?

ANSWER

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

(a) Statement showing forest area diverted for non forestry purpose (State/UT wise) under FC Act, 1980 is placed at Annexure-A.

(b) & (c) Ad-hoc CAMPA has released funds to various States/UTs for compensation afforestation and other ancillary activities as per Annexure-B. Afforestation has been carried out over a total area of 93400 ha during the years 2014-15, 2015-16 and 2016-17 utilising the CAMPA funds by State/UT.

(d) details of the funds released in last three years to the State CAMPAs is at Annexure-B.

ANNEXURE-A

Statement Showing Forest Area Diverted for non-forestry purpose (States/UTs-wise) under FC Act, 1980

Category : **All Categories**

S. No.	STATE / UT	Total Land Diverted (Ha.)
1	Andaman and Nicobar	20.14
2	Andhra Pradesh	3343.57
3	Arunachal Pradesh	722.74
4	Bihar	658.79
5	Chandigarh	40.25
6	Chhattisgarh	3979.61
7	Dadar & Nagar Haveli	1.51
8	Delhi	12.00
9	Goa	41.59
10	Gujarat	1213.02
11	Haryana	7944.93
12	Himachal Pradesh	745.50
13	Jharkhand	2968.18
14	Karnataka	715.57
15	Kerala	13.69
16	Madhya Pradesh	6420.28
17	Maharashtra	5285.30
18	Manipur	767.90
19	Meghalaya	142.93
20	Mizoram	74.73
21	Orissa	5859.64
22	Punjab	865.43
23	Rajasthan	3496.71

24	Sikkim	24.68
25	Tamil Nadu	536.01
26	Telangana	7149.88
27	Tripura	84.38
28	Uttar Pradesh	554.43
29	Uttarakhand	2105.56
30	West Bengal	280.42
Total		56069.37

<u>Annexure referred to in the answer to part (b) and (d) of Lok Sabha Unstarred Question No.1205 answered on 22.12.2017 regarding Forest Land by Shri Harinarayan Rajbhar, Member of Parliament.</u>				
Sl. No.	State/UT	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17
1	2	3	4	5
1	Andaman & Nicobar Islands	23,049,000.00	10,000,000.00	
2	Andhra Pradesh	1,350,000,000.00	850,000,000.00	890,000,000.00
3	Arunachal Pradesh	475,000,000.00	620,000,000.00	1,500,000,000.00
4	Assam			300,000,000.00
5	Bihar	198,019,400.00	341,400,000.00	330,000,000.00
6	Chandigarh	1,982,000.00	21,179,000.00	10,000,000.00
7	Chhattisgarh	1,930,000,000.00	2,390,000,000.00	2,800,000,000.00
8	Dadra & Nagar Haveli			
9	Daman & Diu			
10	Delhi	40,000,000.00	39,100,000.00	40,000,000.00
11	Goa			
12	Gujarat	650,000,000.00	330,000,000.00	450,000,000.00
13	Haryana	230,000,000.00	640,000,000.00	180,000,000.00

14	Himachal Pradesh	960,000,000.00	769,800,000.00	1,096,200,000.00
15	Jammu & Kashmir	340,000,000.00	310,000,000.00	1,020,000,000.00
16	Jharkhand	1,750,000,000.00	1,410,000,000.00	1,490,000,000.00
17	Karnataka	650,000,000.00	600,000,000.00	851,200,000.00
18	Kerala	45,397,000.00		
19	Lakshadweep			
20	Madhya Pradesh	895,000,000.00	2,130,000,000.00	1,400,000,000.00
21	Maharashtra	1,480,000,000.00	1,550,000,000.00	2,050,000,000.00
22	Manipur	82,700,000.00	250,000,000.00	150,000,000.00
23	Meghalaya		165,600,000.00	
24	Mizoram	68,000,000.00	67,300,000.00	67,500,000.00
25	Nagaland			
26	Odisha	1,800,000,000.00	3,220,000,000.00	4,260,000,000.00
27	Pudducherry			
28	Punjab	410,000,000.00	490,000,000.00	490,000,000.00
29	Rajasthan	740,000,000.00	480,000,000.00	1,400,000,000.00
30	Sikkim	137,000,000.00	110,000,000.00	90,000,000.00
31	Tamil Nadu		22,000,000.00	90,000,000.00
32	Telangana	350,001,000.00	760,000,000.00	1,170,000,000.00
33	Tripura	80,000,000.00	110,000,000.00	120,000,000.00
34	Uttar Pradesh	449,118,400.00	1,770,000,000.00	1,180,000,000.00
35	Uttarakhand	680,000,000.00	1,640,000,000.00	1,707,100,000.00
36	West Bengal			210,000,000.00
	Grand Total	15,815,266,800.00	21,096,379,000.00	25,342,000,000.00