

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS
DEPARTMENT OF CHEMICALS AND PETROCHEMICALS**

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UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 474
TO BE ANSWERED ON 19.12.2017**

PLASTIC PARKS

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Will the Minister of CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS be pleased to state:

- a) whether the Government has decided for setting up of Plastic Parks and proposed to implement the same during 12th and 13th Five Year Plan period;
- b) if so, the details thereof and the total number of plastic parks established by the Government during the 12th Plan till now and proposed under 13th Plan;
- c) whether the Government has set up any monitoring mechanism to ensure the functioning of plastic parks in an eco-friendly manner and production of only recyclable plastics; and
- d) if so, the details thereof and the steps taken/ being taken by the Government in this regard?

ANSWER

**MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE FOR MINISTRY OF PLANNING AND
MINISTER OF STATE FOR MINISTRY OF CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS (RAO INDERJIT
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- (a) & (b) The Scheme for setting up of Plastic Parks approved for implementation for the 12th plan and beyond, till 2019-20, provides for central funding up to 50% of the project cost, subject to a ceiling of Rs. 40.00 crore for setting up of state-of-the-art infrastructure and enabling common facilities per Plastic Park, based on the project proposal received from the State Government. The remaining project cost is funded by the State Government or its agencies. Out of 10 Plastic Parks approved, 4 Plastic Parks are in various stages of implementation in the States of Assam, Madhya Pradesh, Odisha & Tamil Nadu.
- (b) & (d) Under the Plastic Park Scheme Guidelines, the final approval is accorded to the Detailed Project Report (DPR) proposal received from the State Government subject to the statutory approvals and environmental clearances. The Scheme also provides for building infrastructure to support plastic production units through establishment of effluent treatment plant, hazardous waste management, incinerator, buildings and equipment / machinery for common facilities for plastic recycling etc. as well as adherence to the existing rules & norms by units set up in the Plastic Parks.
