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

# LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1774 TO BE ANSWERED ON 27.07.2018

#### **Plantation of Trees by Private Sector**

## 1774. SHRI FAGGAN SINGH KULASTE: SHRI GANESH SINGH:

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

- (a) whether the Government is implementing any special scheme to promote plantation of trees in the private sector;
- (b) if so, the details thereof, State/UT-wise;
- (c) the funds allocated for the above scheme during the last three years across the country including Madhya Pradesh; and
- (d) if not, the time by which such scheme is likely to be formulated by the Government?

#### ANSWER

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

- (a) The Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change is not implementing any scheme regarding promotion of plantation on private lands. However, Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change has taken various steps through policy interventions for promoting trees outside forests.
- (b) & (c) In view of above, questions do not arise.
- (d) Ministry has not set any time line for formulation of any such scheme.

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