

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT, FOREST AND CLIMATE CHANGE

LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.744
TO BE ANSWERED ON 12.12.2022

Promotion of Afforestation in Private Sector

744. SHRI DHARAMBIR SINGH:
SHRI RODMAL NAGAR:

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

- (a) whether the Government is implementing any special scheme to promote afforestation in private sector;
- (b) if so, the amount of funds being allotted to Madhya Pradesh under the said scheme; and
- (c) if not, the time by which the said special scheme to promote afforestation in private sector is likely to be launched?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT, FOREST AND CLIMATE CHANGE
(SHRI ASHWINI KUMAR CHOUBEY)

- (a) The Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change does not implement any special scheme for promoting plantation in the private sector at present. Tree plantation/afforestation being the cross-sectoral effort, is however, done by various departments, Non-Government Organizations, civil society, corporate bodies etc.
- (b) Question does not arise.
- (c) There is no such scheme under consideration at present by the Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change.
