

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT, FOREST AND CLIMATE CHANGE

LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 696.
TO BE ANSWERED ON 05.02.2021

Adoption of New Emission Norms by Coalfields

696. SHRIMATI VANGA GEETHA VISWANATH:
SHRI KOTHA PRABHAKAR REDDY:

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

- (a) whether the Government has proposed pushing back deadlines for adoption of new emission norms by coalfields;
- (b) if so, the details and present status thereof;
- (c) whether the Union Government has received any requests from the State Government in this regard; and
- (d) if so, the State/UT-wise details thereof along with the action taken by the Government thereon?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT, FOREST AND CLIMATE CHANGE
(SHRI BABUL SUPRIYO)

- (a) & (b): The emission norms for coalfields are notified vide notification no. GSR 742(E), dated 25th September 2000. The Ministry has no proposal for pushing back deadlines for adoption of emission norms by coalfields.
- (c) & (d) No such request has been received from State Governments.
