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

## LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION No. 2904 TO BE ANSWERED ON 21.03.2022

### **Disposal of Waste**

### 2904. SHRI SANJAY BHATIA:

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

- (a) whether the Government has focused on citizen participation programme for 100 per cent disposal of waste, which is an important benchmark for awarding ranking and if so, the details thereof;
- (b) whether the Government has started covering various stakeholders like Hotels, Dhaba, Market Federations, Hospitals, Schools, various Resident Welfare Organizations and Government office;
- (c) whether competition will be organized on various norms between the stakeholders of the Parliamentary Constituency Karnal and Haryana and the details thereof;
- (d) whether these norms include the conditions of building sanitary segregation of dry and wet waste, compost pit, on single use plastic, converting wet waste into manure and zero waste;
- (e) whether painting/wall painting competition is also likely to be organized and if so, the details thereof?

#### **ANSWER**

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

(a) & (b): As part of Azadi @75 Swachh Survekshan 2022, there is a focus on citizen engagement for complete waste disposal. The assessment covers all hotels, schools, hospitals (healthcare facility), Resident Welfare Associations / mohallas, government offices and market association.

(c) to (e): Competitions have been organized for stakeholders of the Parliamentary constituency Karnal and Haryana. Directions have been issued to all urban local bodies for their participation in Swachh Technology Challenge under Swachh Survekshan 2022. Three stakeholders from parliamentary constituency Karnal participated in the competition and twenty eight stakeholders participated in the competition across Haryana. The urban local bodies are focussing on waste segregation into dry, wet and domestic hazardous waste including sanitary waste. Compost pits have been constructed for processing of wet waste. Actions have been taken for elimination of identified single use plastic items as per Plastic Waste Management Rules. Painting and drawing competitions have been organized by urban local bodies involving school and college students. A total of 92 painting competitions have been organized in Haryana during Swachh Survekshan 2022.