

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 587
TO BE ANSWERED ON APRIL 27, 2016

USAGE OF FLY ASH

No. 587 SHRI MAHEISH GIRRI:

Will the MINISTER OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) Whether any research has been conducted on the use of fly ash in construction work;
- (b) if so, the details and the present status thereof; and
- (c) the success achieved in this regard and the steps taken/being taken to promote the use of fly ash in construction work?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT
(SHRI M. VENKAIAH NAIDU)

- (a) : No, Madam. No research has been conducted by this Ministry regarding the use of fly ash in construction work. However, CPWD has been following the guidelines issued by Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change vide Gazette Notification No. S.O. 763 (E) dated 14.9.1999 as amended time to time with regard to use of flyash
- (b) : Does not arise.
- (c) :Fly ash is being used as:
 - i. Filling material,
 - ii. Manufacture of Portland Pozzolana Cement (PPC) and concrete,
 - iii. Manufacture of building products such as fly ash lime/cement bricks/blocks, tiles, clay-ash bricks etc.,
 - iv. Construction of road embankment,
 - v. Development of low lying areas.
