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(d) if so, the reasons therefor; and

Elephant Sanctuaries

3412. SHRI GOPI NATH GAJAPATHI: Will the Minister of ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS be pleased to state:

(a) the number of Elephant sanctuaries in the country and the location thereof;

(b) the amount released by the Union Government for proper maintenance of these Elephant sanctuaries during the last three years;

(c) whether the central assistance is not sanctioned every year for Chandaka Elephant sanctuary, Bhubaneswar or it is very inadequate if sanctioned some year;

(e) the steps taken to provide adequate fund for the elephant sanctuary in 1991-92?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS (SHRI KAMAL NATH): (a) and (b) At present there is no sanctuary created especially for elephants. However, statement of the sanctuaries having elephant population is given at Annexure. The amount released during the last three years for each sanctuary is also given in the attached statement.

(c) to (e) Amounts released for Chandaka Wildlife Sanctuary during the last three years are as follow:—

(Rs. in Lakhs)

	1988-89	1989-90	1990-91
	13.80	13.65	12.07

Keeping in view the budget allocation for the development of national parks and sanctuaries for the year 1991-92, efforts will be made to pro-

vide central assistance to support activities that are essential for the development of the Chandaka Wildlife Sanctuary.

STATEMENT

Names of the wildlife sanctuaries which have elephant populations and the amounts released to these sanctuaries during the last three years

(Rupees in Lakhs)

Sl. No.	Names of the Wildlife Sanctuaries and their locations	Amount released in last three years		
		1988-89	1989-90	1990-91
1	Sri Venkateswara Chittoor Cuddapa, Andhra Pradesh	—	—	1.00
2	Mehao Dibang Valley, Arunachal Pradesh	1.50	5.00	3.25
3	Pakhui East Kameng, Arunachal Pradesh	2.00	11.50	6.00

STATEMENT—contd.

(Rs. in Lakhs)

Sl. No.	Names of the Wildlife Sanctuaries and their locations	Amount released in last three years		
		1988-89	1989-90	1990-91
	D'Ering Siang, Arunachal Pradesh	2.50	3.48	4.50
5	Barnadi Kamrup, Assam	3.32	—	4.79
6	Garampani Sibsagar, Assam	—	—	—
7	Orang Darrang, Assam	—	—	—
8	Dalma Ranchi, Bihar	—	—	—
9	Bhadra Shimoga, Karnataka	3.52	6.25	4.50
10	Biligiri Ranga Swamy Mysore, Karnataka	7.52	7.35	6.08
11	Brahmagiri Madikeri, Karnataka	—	—	—
12	Cauvery Mysore, Karnataka	—	—	—
13	Dandeli Uttara Kanada, Karnataka	5.73	3.88	3.00
14	Nugu Mysore, Karnataka	3.75	2.95	3.10
15	Shettihally Shimoga, Karnataka	1.95	1.30	3.10
16	Chimmony Quilon, Kerala	—	0.40	—
17	Chinnar Idukki, Kerala	1.09	1.49	—
18	Idukki Idukki, Kerala	1.45	3.20	10.00
19	Neyyar Trivandrum, Kerala	0.85	—	5.00
20	Parambikulam Palghat, Kerala	0.50	—	3.00
21	Peechi Vazhani Trichur, Kerala	2.589	—	5.00
22	Peppara Kottayam, Kerala	—	—	—
23	Periyar Kottayam, Kerala	—	—	—
24	Shenduruny Quilon, Kerala	0.83	—	2.30

STATEMENT—contd.

(Rupees in Lakhs)

Sl. No.	Names of the Wildlife Sanctuaries and their locations	Amount released in last three years		
		1988-89	1989-90	1990-91
25	Thattikad Idukki, Kerala	0.72	—	1.95
26	Wayanad Calicut & Wayanad, Kerala	—	7.65	5.98
27	Nongkhyllem East Khasi Hills, Meghalaya	0.41	2.40	—
28	Sijju West Garo Hills, Meghalaya	—	1.60	2.40
29	Dampa Aizawal, Mizoram	16.50	4.55	5.10
30	Intanki Kohima, Nagaland	1.862	—	2.82
31	Chandka-Dampara Puri, Orissa	13.80	13.65	12.07
32	Hadgarh Keonjhar Mayurbhanj, Orissa	—	—	—
33	Khalasuni Sambalpur, Orissa	—	—	—
34	Kot arh Phulbani	—	—	—
35	Kuldhia Balasore, Mayurbhanj, Orissa	—	—	—
36	Mahanadi Baisipalli Puri, Orissa	—	—	—
37	Satkosia Gorge Dhenkanal Puri, Orissa	—	—	—
38	Simulipal Mayurbhanj, Orissa	—	—	—
39	Ushakothi Sambalpur, Orissa	—	—	—
40	Anamalai (Indira Gandhi) Coimbatore, Tamilnadu	—	5.55	2.14
41	Mudumalai Nilgiris, Tamilnadu	1.627	7.43	4.50
42	Nilgiri Tahr Nilgiris, Tamilnadu	—	—	—
43	Sonnadi Uttar Pradesh	—	—	—
44	Chapramari Jalpaiguri, West Bengal	—	—	—
45	Gorumara Jalpaiguri, West Bengal	—	—	—
46	Jaldapara Jalpaiguri, West Bengal	2.68	3.93	4.50
47	Mahananda Darjeeling, West Bengal	—	4.52	2.98
Total		76.698	98.08	109.06