

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:5324
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REVIEW OF FOREST POLICY
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Will the Minister of ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government propose to review the forest policy;
- (b) if so, the details thereof alongwith the background thereof; (
- (c) whether it is also proposed to update the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 under the proposed review; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof ?

Answer

MINISTER OF ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS (SHRI T. R. BAALU)

- (a) No Sir.
- (b) Does not arise.
- (c)&(d) The review of the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 is at a nascent stage.