

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
URBAN DEVELOPMENT AND POVERTY ALLEVIATION  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3090  
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MAINTENANCE OF CPWD PARKS  
PUTTASWAMY GOWDA

**Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT AND POVERTY ALLEVIATION be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether it is a fact that various CPWD Parks in Delhi particularly in Pushap Vihar, New Delhi are not being maintained by the Horticulture Department deliberately;
- (b) if so, the reasons therefor; and
- (c) the action taken by the Union Government in this regard?

**Answer**

MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT AND POVERTY ALLEVIATION ( SHRI BANDARU DATTATRAYA )

- (a)&(b): Various parks with the CPWD in Delhi, including those located in Pushp Vihar, are maintained by its Horticulture Wing. Acute shortage of water affects the greenery in the parks.
- (c): Augmentation of unfiltered water supply, by using treated effluent from the sewage treatment plant, Vasant Kunj, would help in reducing shortage of water and thus improving the green cover in the parks maintained by CPWD.