

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
RURAL DEVELOPMENT  
LOK SABHA**

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TECHNOLOGIES FOR INCREASING PRODUCTIVITY OF WASTELAND  
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**Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:**

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- (a) the technologies adopted/being adopted by the Government for increasing productivity of wasteland ;and
- (b) the details of achievements made in this direction so far in each State?

**Answer**

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT (SHRI ANNASAHEB M.K.PATIL)

(a)and(b) Research Institutions/Organizations under Central and State Government and State Agricultural Universities have developed technologies for improving the soil health and productivity of different types of wastelands and degraded lands.The statement showing technologies for some of the problem lands/wastelands is enclosed.The recommended technologies are adopted by the Project Implementing Agencies in the various ongoing land based development programmes.