

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

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DECREASING POPULATION OF TIGERS IN SANCTUARIES IN BIHAR

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Will the Minister of ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the number of tigers in the sanctuaries in Bihar is decreasing mysteriously;
- (b) if so, the details thereof alongwith the reasons therefor; and
- (c) the remedial steps taken/proposed to be taken in this regard?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS (SHRI NAMO NARAIN MEENA)

- (a) & (b) No report of tigers decreasing mysteriously from Sanctuaries has been received from the State.
- (c) The steps taken at the Government of India for conservation of tigers are at Annexure-I.