

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

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2044
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CUTTING OF TREES IN DELHI FOR COMMONWEALTH GAMES
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Will the Minister of ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the trees are being cut unscrupulously in the name of beautification of Delhi for the ensuing Commonwealth Games;
- (b) if so, whether the Government has accorded clearance for cutting of these trees;
- (c) if so, the details thereof; and
- (d) if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) FOR ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS (SHRI JAIRAM RAMESH)

- (a) No, Sir. No unscrupulous cutting of trees is being done for beautification of Delhi for the ensuing Commonwealth Games.
- (b),(c)&(d) Not applicable in view of the answer at (a) above.