GOVERNMENT OF INDIA ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2566 ANSWERED ON:22.07.2009 INDIAN YOUTH CLIMATE NETWORK Reddy Shri Magunta Srinivasulu

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

- (a) whether the Indian Youth Climate Network has suggested certain modifications in the climate change policy?
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the reaction of the Union Government thereto?

Answer

MINISTER OF THE STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) IN THE MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS (SHRI JAIRAM RAMESH)

- (a) & (b) In the context of international negotiations on Climate Change, Indian Youth Climate Network (IYCN) has suggested issues regarding inclusion of nuclear energy under CDM, shortening of post 2012 commitment periods under Kyoto Protocol to 2 years, institution of an all Asia inter accountable monitoring mechanism to monitor implementation of commitments of developing countries to Convention in terms of National Adaptation Plans of Actions (NAPAs) and Nationally Appropriate Mitigation Actions (NAMAs) and wider stake holder consultation process in the finalisation, monitoring and implementation of missions under National Action Plan on Climate Change.
- (c) The Government is aware of the recommendations and duly keeps these in mind when finalizing documents/ actions.