GOVERNMENT OF INDIA ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1613 ANSWERED ON:04.08.2010 DEATH OF WILD ANIMALS Deshmukh Shri K. D.

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

- (a) whether death of wild animals are increasing in the Kanha and Bandhavgarh National Park in Madhya Pradesh;
- (b) if so, the details thereof and the reasons therefor;
- (c) whether the use of barbed wires in Kanha National Park is one of the reasons for death of wild animals;
- (d) if so, the details thereof; and
- (e) the steps taken/proposed to be taken by the Government to protect the wild animals and their habitat in these National Parks and the funds provided for the purpose during the last three years?

Answer

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

- (a) & (b) No such reports have been received from the State.
- (c) No Sir.
- (d) Question does not arise.
- (e) Milestone initiatives taken by the Government of India for protection of wildlife and their habitat are at Annexure-I. Funding assistance provided under the ongoing Centrally Sponsored Scheme of Project Tiger during the last three years are at Annexure-II.