

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

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:5149
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CHECK ON SALE OF FOREST LAND
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Will the Minister of ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has noticed the sale of forest land in an illegal manner in the country;
- (b) if so, the number of such cases identified in various States of the country including Delhi during the last three years and the current year, year-wise and State-wise; and
- (c) the steps taken by the Government in this regard?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) FOR ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS (SHRIMATI JAYANTHI NATARAJAN)

(a) to (c) The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.