

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

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2841
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TOBACCO MANUFACTURING FACTORIES
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Will the Minister of ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether any complaints has been received by the Government against the polluting tobacco manufacturing factories in Delhi; and
- (b) if so, the action taken by the Government against such factories?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) FOR ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS (SHRIMATI JAYANTHI NATARAJAN)
(a) & (b) Complaints against two tobacco manufacturing factories have been reportedly received in Delhi Pollution Control Committee (DPCC). Closure directions under the provisions of the Air (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1981 have been issued by DPCC in one case, whereas show cause notice for closure has been issued in the second case.