GOVERNMENT OF INDIA ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2010 ANSWERED ON:26.03.2012 AWARENESS ON GLOBAL WARMING Danve Shri Raosaheb Patil

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

- (a) the details of programmes being run by the Government for creating awareness about environment among public in view of the crisis of global warming;
- (b) whether the Government proposes to start more such programmes in near future; and
- (c) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF THE STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) IN THE MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS (SHRIMATI JAYANTHI NATARAJAN)

- (a) Public awareness on global warming is created through various conferences / seminars and also through the National Environmental Awareness Campaign. This campaign runs through approximately 10,000 organizations including NGOs, Academia and Schools, etc.
- (b) and (c) Planning Commission has approved a new thematic umbrella scheme titled "Climate Change Action Programme". The scheme includes various climate change awareness activities for implementation in the 12th Five Year Plan.