

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

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:4843
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CLEARANCE TO YAMUNA EXPRESSWAY
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Will the Minister of ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has granted the environmental clearance to Taj Trapezium Zone Authority (Pollution, Prevention and Control) regarding construction of Yamuna Expressway from Greater Noida to Agra;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) if not, the reasons therefor; and
- (d) the steps taken by the Government in this regard?

Answer

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

(a)&(b) Ministry of Environment and Forests had granted environmental clearance for Yamuna Expressway from Noida to Agra on 11.04.2007, after following due procedure as required under EIA Notification 2006.

(c)&(d) Does not arise in view of the reply to part (a) and (b) above.