

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

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

- (a) the details of the National Parks and Sanctuaries located in the country, State-wise;
- (b) whether some of the above have been accorded the status of the excellent, Parks/Sanctuaries in the country;
- (c) if so, the details thereof along with the names of such parks located in the country, State-wise including Rajasthan; and
- (d) the criteria for declaration of those sanctuaries as 'excellent' and the additional facilities being given to these Parks and Sanctuaries?

Answer

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

- (a) State-wise details of National Parks and Sanctuaries, as available with the Ministry, are given in the Annexure.
- (b), (c) and (d) No National Park or Sanctuary in the country has been accorded the status of excellent Park/Sanctuary.