

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

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REHABILITATION OF POLLUTED SITES
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Will the Minister of ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has introduced `National Programme for Rehabilitation of Polluted Sites` (NPRPS) scheme;
- (b) if so, the details and the objective of the scheme along with the present status of implementation of the scheme; and
- (c) the details of funds sanctioned, released for the purpose so far?

Answer

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

(a) to (c): Ministry of Environment and Forests has initiated a project on "Capacity Building for Industrial Pollution Management" with the World Bank assistance. One of the objectives of project is the development of a framework for establishment of a National Programme for Rehabilitation of Polluted Sites (NPRPS).