

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

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:6214
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MANAGEMENT OF GARBAGE DISPOSAL
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Will the Minister of ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of the pending proposals with regard to the new technologies in garbage disposal management and air quality control for recognition by the Central Pollution Control Board;
- (b) if so, the details of the technologies between 2007 to 2012; and
- (c) the action taken by the Government against each proposal, State-wise particularly for Andhra Pradesh?

Answer

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

(a) As per the information provided by Central Pollution Control Board, there is no proposal pending with them with regard to new technologies in garbage disposal management and air quality control for recognition by the Central Pollution Control Board including from the State of Andhra Pradesh. The existing technologies on Municipal Solid Waste management in the country are being regulated under the Municipal Solid Waste (Management and Handling) Rules, 2000 and the standards have been specified at schedule IV of these Rules.

(b)&(c) Does not arise.