

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

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MINIMUM SUPPORT PRICE OF FOREST PRODUCTS
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Will the Minister of ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Ministry has received any proposal to formulate a policy for determining the minimum support price of forest products;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) the reaction of the Ministry thereto; and
- (d) the time by which the said policy is likely to be formulated?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) FOR ENVIRONMENT AND FOREST (SHRI JAIRAM RAMESH)

- (a) & (b) One proposal has been received from the State Government of Chhattisgarh for fixing the minimum support price of non nationalized minor forest produce.
- (c) & (d) No policy has been formulated in this regard.