

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

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1707  
ANSWERED ON:16.12.2013  
SURVEY ON LOSS OF WILDLIFE  
Meghe Shri Datta Raghobaji

**Will the Minister of ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether the Government proposes to conduct any survey to assess the damage caused to wildlife due to Phailin cyclone that struck Odisha recently;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the steps taken by the Government in this regard?

**Answer**

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

(a)&(b) No, Sir. There is no proposal to conduct any survey to assess the damage caused to wildlife due to Phailin cyclone that struck Odisha under consideration of the Ministry. The forest and wildlife management is the mandate of the respective State/UT Governments.

(c) Does not arise.