

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

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3068
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USE OF ANIMALS FOR COSMETIC TESTING
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Will the Minister of ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has received any proposal from the People for the Ethical Treatment of Animals (PETA) to impose ban on use of animals for cosmetic testing in the country;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether the Government has identified some other alternatives in this regard;
- (d) if so, the details thereof; and
- (e) the time by which it is likely to be implemented?

Answer

MINISTER OF ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS (Dr. M. VEERAPPA MOILY)

- (a)& (b) Yes, Madam. E-mails have been received from People for the Ethical Treatment of Animals (PETA) requesting for a ban on the testing of cosmetic and household products on animals.
- (c) No, Madam.
- (d) & (e) Does not arise.