

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
NEW AND RENEWABLE ENERGY
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:6198
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PROMOTION OF WIND ENERGY GENERATION
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Will the Minister of NEW AND RENEWABLE ENERGY be pleased to state:

- (a) whether with the invention of new technology in the field of wind energy, the Government has decided to prepare Draft National Policy, 2015 to promote generation of wind energy;
- (b) if so, the details thereof along with the salient features of the said policy;
- (c) the provisions suggested in the said policy for addressing the environmental clearance; and
- (d) the time by which the said policy is likely to be implemented?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR POWER, COAL & NEW AND RENEWABLE ENERGY (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) (SHRI PIYUSH GOYAL)

(a),(b),(c)&(d): On 19th December, 2014, the Government of India introduced the Electricity (Amendment) Bill 2014 in Lok Sabha. It provides for preparation, review and notification of inter-alia National Renewable Energy Policy, in consultation with States. The stated Policy will cover entire spectrum of renewable energy including wind energy.