

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
ENVIRONMENT, FORESTS AND CLIMATE CHANGE
LOK SABHA**

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NATIONAL INSTITUTE FOR CLIMATE CHANGE STUDIES
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Will the Minister of ENVIRONMENT, FORESTS AND CLIMATE CHANGE be pleased to state:

- (a) the functions of the National Institute for Climate and Environment Studies (NICES);
- (b) the action taken by the said Institute under Climate Change Action Programme (CCAP); and
- (c) whether any notable findings are reported/published by the institute and if so, the details thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) FOR ENVIRONMENT, FOREST AND CLIMATE CHANGE (SHRI PRAKASH JAVADEKAR)

(a) to (c) Government of India proposes to set up a National Institute for Climate Change Studies and Actions (NICCSA) during the 12th Plan period under the Climate Change Action Programme (CCAP) of the Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change with the objective of coordinating all activities and analytical studies on scientific, environmental, economic and technological issues related to climate change.