## GOVERNMENT OF INDIA SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2681 ANSWERED ON:05.08.2015 National Institute for Advanced Materials and Applications Panda Shri Baijayant "Jay";Tarai Smt. Rita

## Will the Minister of SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has any proposal for setting up of a National Institute for Advanced Materials and Applications (NIAMA);
- (b) if so, the details/present status thereof and the location identified for the purpose along with the steps taken by the Government in this regard; and
- (c) if not, the reasons therefor?

## **Answer**

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF EARTH SCIENCES (SHRI.Y. S. CHOWDARY)

- (a) No Madam. There is no proposal in the Ministry of Science and Technology for setting up a National Institute for Advanced Materials and Applications (NIAMA).
- (b) Does not arise.
- (c) There are several research institutions in the Ministry of Science and Technology which work on advanced materials, their applications and in allied areas.