

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

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COASTAL HAZARD LINE MAPPING  
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**Will the Minister of ENVIRONMENT, FORESTS AND CLIMATE CHANGE be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether the Government has undertaken a project for mapping and delineation of hazard line along the main land coast of India;
- (b) if so, the details and the present status thereof;
- (c) the details of progress achieved and the time frame fixed for completion of the project, State-wise; and
- (d) the funds allocated and utilized for the same during each of the last three years, State wise?

**Answer**

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

- (a) & (b) Under the World Bank assisted Integrated Coastal Zone Management Project, the Government has initiated the process of hazard line mapping along the coast of the mainland of India. For undertaking this activity, the Ministry has signed an agreement on 12th May, 2010 with Survey of India (Sol) who are the nodal agency for carrying out the hazard line mapping.
- (c) The hazard line mapping covers all the coastal States and Union territories along the mainland of the country and is scheduled to be completed by March, 2015.
- (d) The total cost earmarked for the hazard line mapping is Rs. 125 crore and so far an amount of Rs.44.99 crore has been utilized so far of which Rs. 3.85 crore was utilized in 2011-12, Rs. 29.28 crore was utilized in 2012-13 and Rs. 11.18 crore was utilized in 2013-14. The amount is released to Sol, based upon the progress achieved.