

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

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GLOBAL WARMING
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Will the Minister of ENVIRONMENT, FORESTS AND CLIMATE CHANGE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether according to a report published by the UNO, India is at number three among the countries responsible for global warming;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) the reaction of the Government thereto;
- (d) whether the Government has taken any remedial steps in this regard; and
- (e) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

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

(a) & (b) As per the data collected by the United States Department of Energy's Carbon Dioxide Information Analysis Center (CDIAC) for the United Nations, India's total carbon dioxide emissions is 20,08,823.0 kilo tonnes in 2010 and India is ranking third at global level.

(c) to (e) India does not have legally binding reduction commitments under Kyoto Protocol. However, Government of India is taking steps voluntarily to reduce Green House Gas emissions through the implementation of National Missions namely, National Solar Mission, National Mission on Enhanced Energy Efficiency, Green India Mission and National Mission on Sustainable Habitat under National Action Plan on Climate Change during the 12th Five Year Plan.