Title: The Minister of State of the Minister of Development of North Easter Region, Minister of State in the Prime Minister's Office, Minister of State in the Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions, Minister of State in the Department of Atomic Energy and Minister of State in the Department of Space.

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THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF DEVELOPMENT OF NORTH EASTERN REGION, MINISTER OF STATE IN THE PRIME MINISTER'S OFFICE, MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS, MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF ATOMIC ENERGY AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF SPACE (DR. JITENDRA SINGH): On behalf of Shri Dharmendra Pradhan, I beg to lay a statement regarding the status of implementation of the recommendations contained in the 1st Report of the Standing Committee on Petroleum and Natural Gas on Demands for Grants (2014-15), pertaining to the Ministry of Petroleum and Natural Gas. This may please be considered as read.

12.43 ¾ hrs.