

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1178
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ENVIRONMENTAL CLEARANCE TO EAST COAST ROAD PROJECT
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Will the Minister of ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether any blue print prepared for safer East Coast Road from Chennai to Cuddalore is awaiting environmental clearance;
- (b) if so, whether the Government propose to give clearance at the earliest, especially when tenders have already been floated for the project; and
- (c) if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT & FORESTS (SHRI BABU LAL MARANDI)

(a) : No, Sir.

(b) & (c) : Do not arise.