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

- (a) whether the Government of Kerala had submitted any proposal for setting up of a National Research Institute at Trivandrum for conducting research works in electronics and nanotechnology;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether the State Government has offered/provided land for setting up this institute;
- (d) if so, the details thereof;
- (e) the time by which the proposal is likely to be given final approval; and
- (f) if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) OF THE MINISTRY OF SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY AND MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) OF THE DEPARTMENT OF OCEAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI KAPIL SIBAL)

- (a) & (b): No proposal for setting up a National Research Institute for electronics and nanotechnology at Trivandrum has been received.
- (c) to (f): Do not arise.