

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY
LOK SABHA**

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

- (a) Whether the Government has any proposal to set up a National Science Commission to improve dissemination of Scientific news and regulate various Science Organizations in the country;
- (b) If so, details thereof alongwith target set for implementing the same;
- (c) Whether Government has any proposal to set up units in the districts of all the States to promote science in the grass roots level; and
- (d) If so, details thereof, location-wise?

Answer

MINISTER OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY AND MINISTER OF EARTH SCIENCES(KAPIL SIBAL)

- (a) No, Sir. There is no proposal to set up a National Science Commission. However dissemination of scientific news is regularly done through mass media.
- (b) Does not arise.
- (c) There is no such proposal.
- (d) Does not arise.