

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

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:833
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MANAGEMENT OF PLANTS IN LAL BAGH BOTANICAL GARDEN
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Will the Minister of ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS be pleased to state:

(a) Whether a proposal has been received by the Union Government for conservation and management of plant wealth at Lalbagh Botanical Garden in Bangalore; and

(b) if so, the response of the Union Government hereto ?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS (SHRI NAMO NARAIN MEENA)

(a) & (b) : Yes, Sir. A proposal for Conservation and Management of plant wealth at Lalbagh Botanic Garden, Bangalore was received and considered by the Expert Group on Assistance to Botanical Gardens and Centers of Ex-situ Conservation. As per the recommendations of the Expert Group, the State Government has been requested to revise the proposal for ten acres of area for propagation of Rare, Endangered and Threatened plant species in consultation with an expert on the subject. The revised proposal has not yet been received.