

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
ENVIRONMENT, FORESTS AND CLIMATE CHANGE
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2070
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SANCTUARIES IN ARAVALLIS
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Will the Minister of ENVIRONMENT, FORESTS AND CLIMATE CHANGE be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of wild life sanctuaries in Aravallis;
- (b) whether the Government proposes to setup more wild life sanctuaries in Aravalli ranges particularly in Rajasthan; and
- (c) if so, the details thereof, State-wise?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) FOR ENVIRONMENT, FORESTS AND CLIMATE CHANGE (SHRI PRAKASH JAVADEKAR)

- (a) Details of National Parks and Wildlife Sanctuaries in Aravalli region as per information available in the Ministry are given in the Annexure.
- (b) The Wildlife (Protection) Act, 1972 empowers the respective State governments to notify National Parks and Sanctuaries in the respective States. The Ministry does not have any information about any proposal under consideration in the respective States about the setting up of more Wildlife Sanctuaries in the Aravalli region.
- (c) In view of (b) above, the question does not arise.