

Projects pending for environmental clearance

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SHRI VISHAMBHAR PRASAD NISHAD:

Will the Minister of ENVIRONMENT, FORESTS AND CLIMATE CHANGE be pleased to state:

(a) the names of the projects which are pending before the Ministry for environmental clearance and out of them how many are in private and public sector separately; and

(b) the number of projects furnished by States for environmental clearance which are pending at present, the State-wise details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT, FOREST AND CLIMATE CHANGE (SHRI PRAKASH JAVADEKAR): (a) and (b) The number of the projects under consideration for Environmental Clearance in the Ministry are 475. Out of which 103 are public and 372 are private sector. The details of the same sector-wise is given in the Statement (see below). The proposals are processed for approval as per the provisions under the Environment Impact Assessment Notification, 2006. These projects are accorded approval within the stipulated timeframe and after receiving requisite documents from the Project Proponents and State Government.

Statement*Status of number of projects under consideration for environmental clearance*

Sl. No.	Sector	Public Sector	Private Sector	Total
1.	Industry-I	-	78	78
2.	Industry-II	12	58	70
3.	Thermal	4	4	8
4.	Infrastructure, CRZ	26	76	102
5.	River Valley HEP	2	20	22
6.	Coal Mining	16	5	21
7.	Non coal Mining	37	131	168
8.	Nuclear Defence Strategic	6	-	6
TOTAL		103	372	475

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