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Lr.No.ENS/ Dr.P.Dhevagi/ Feedback farm/ Environment in the Indian Parliament/ 2014
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Sir,

Sub: ENS- Dr.P.Dhevagi - Filled in Feed back farm – Environment in the Indian Parliament-sending – regarding

Ref: Lr.No Nil dated 02.07.2014 from Coordinator, ENVIS Centre, WWF- India, New Delhi

I wish to express my sincere thanks and gratitude for sending me the soft copy of the report on "*Environment in the Indian parliament – An analysis*". It is very useful to me, as well as to my department also.

Herewith the filled in feedback farm is enclosed for your kind perusal and further action.

Thanking you

Yours sincerely

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**Feedback Form on
Environment in the Indian Parliament: An Analysis 2011-12**

Your feedback is important, it will help us to deliver better Please tick your option

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(1) Is there any specific area in the report which attracted your attention?

There are two specific area in the report on "*Environment in the Indian parliament - An analysis*" attracted me. One is the statistical analysis on ministry wise total number of questions both in the Lok sabha and Rajya sabha for the year 2011. This gives an overview of questions pertaining to Environment both in LS and RS.

Another specific area which attracted and to be appreciated is the analysis part (both LS& RS). This highlights the major concern of different department related to environmental issues. All the questions were pooled under different headings and also the details of questions in parenthesis are very useful, since anybody interested to know, they can easily refer the questions by referring the particular sections.

The other sections of the report which needs appreciation are Lok Sabha 2011MoEF, Lok Sabha 2011 other ministers, RS 2011 MoEF, RS2011 other ministers. These sections are not only attractive but also hold lot of reliable information which may have chain of events and effects in the public.

(2) Do you think the statistical & graphical representation is informative?

- Yes
- Requires upgrading
- Any other suggestions.....

The section on statistical and graphical representation of the questions posed by various departments/ ministries is very informative. This will give an overview of questions pertaining to Environment in both the houses, how the particular ministry is responding? etc. This gives overview of not only the departments, but also an

overview of interest of the different political parties and the performance of the elected representatives also.

Another important thing to be appreciated is, this section highlights not only environment, but also issues rose related to other departments also.

(3) Is the Analysis of each subject area comprehensive in its information?

- Yes**
 Requires upgrading
 Any other suggestions

The analysis part shows the governments accountability and responsibility to the houses and the public. This report highlights some of the global initiatives also. Questions to say few Gaushalas, wetlands, plastic disposal, biomedical wastes , e wastes, mangroves, biodiversity etc were addressed in detail. The analysis section is also very informative and perfectly matching with the current issues.

(4) How do you rate the compilation?

- Excellent**
 Very Good
 Good
 Average

(5) Do you want to regularly receive the upcoming Parliamentary Reports

Electronically : Yes

(6) Any Suggestions/Comments

Nowadays environmental concerns are increasing and are being strongly debated all over India. I think the report on *"Environment in the Indian parliament - An analysis"* is useful and draw attention of such debates. This report is very resourceful and reliable for environmentalists and also for academic people like me. I am very much interested in receiving the copy every time.

Congratulations to ENVIS team and contributors for serving as a responsive centre for disseminating the reliable information to the researchers as well as academicians.

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