GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OFENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS

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ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH SURVEILLANCE.

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Will the Minister of AGRICULTUREAGRICULTUREENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS be pleased to state :-

- (a) whether it is a fact that a Ninth Five Year Plan Sub Group had made a number of recommendations, aimed at effecting improvement in protection and promotion of environmental health, viz. creating and strengthening environmental health surveillance and support services in the Ministry of Health, compulsory introduction of environmental education and upgrading several public awareness programmes, which have remained almost unattended, so far; and
- (b) if so, what were the detailed recommendations made in this regard and the steps taken on implementation of those recommendations?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS (SHRI T. R. BAALU)

(a) & (b)Information is being collected and will be placed on the Table of the House.