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NATIONAL LABOUR EMPLOYMENT POLICY
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Will the Minister of LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government proposes to introduce/formulate a new National Labour Employment Policy for providing employment in all the sectors including unorganised sectors to the unemployed persons throughout the year in the country; and
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the salient features of such Policy alongwith the strategy drawn for implementation of the same?

Answer

MINISTER OF THE STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT (SHRI HARISH RAWAT)

(a) to (c): Ministry of Labour & Employment have prepared a draft National Employment Policy with an objective to accelerate employment growth, particularly in the organized sector and improve the quality of jobs in terms of productivity, average earnings and protection of workers, specially in the unorganized sector. Under the Policy, macro economic policy issues, sectoral policy issues, Labour Policy, micro and small enterprises' issues, skill development issues, issues relating to women and other vulnerable workers have been considered and steps suggested for improving avenues of employment. The proposed policy is under consideration of the Government.