

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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LOK SABHA**

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SPECIAL EMPLOYMENT SCHEME FOR BPL PEOPLE
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Will the Minister of LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has prepared any Special Employment Scheme for the people living below poverty line;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

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

(a) to (c): Government of India has been implementing various employment generation programmes such as Swarna Jayanti Shahari Rozgar Yojana(SJSRY), Prime Minister's Employment Generation Programme (PMEGP) and Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee Scheme (MNREGS) in rural and urban areas of the country. However, Government is implementing Swaranjayanti Gram Swarozgar Yojana (SGSY) which is primarily designed to promote self-employment oriented income generating activities for the BPL households in the rural areas.