

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RURAL DEVELOPMENT
LOK SABHA**

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PENSION SCHEME FOR WORKERS UNDER MGNREGS
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Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government proposes to extend the benefits of new pension scheme for workers of the unorganised sector to the beneficiaries under the Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee Scheme (MGNREGS);
- (b) if so, the details thereof alongwith the financial assistance proposed to be given by the Government;
- (c) the number of workers likely to be benefitted under the scheme; and
- (d) the manner in which the Government proposes to monitor the fund invested in the scheme?

Answer

MINISTER OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT (DR. C. P. JOSHI)

- (a): No, Sir.
- (b) to (d): Do not arise in view of (a) above.