

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
PLANNING
LOK SABHA**

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Task Force on Poverty Eradication

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Will the Minister of PLANNING be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the NITI Aayog's Task Force on Poverty Eradication has made a number of recommendations in the recent past;
- (b) if so, the details and major recommendations/suggestions thereof along with reaction of the Government thereto;
- (c) whether the panel has accepted the Tendulkar line of poverty tool to track the progress in combating extreme poverty and not identification of the poor for the purposes of disbursement of Government doles and subsidies, if so, the details thereof;
- (d) whether the panel has also called for creation of Coastal Economic Zones for sustained rapid growth with job creation potential; and
- (e) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) FOR MINISTRY OF PLANNING
AND MINISTER OF STATE FOR DEFENCE
RAO INDERJIT SINGH

- (a) to (e) : As it stands now, the Task Force on Elimination of Poverty in India constituted by NITI Aayog has not submitted its report.