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

- (a) whether a new Consumer Price Index (CPI) is being prepared by the Government;
- (b) if so, the details of the additional benefits of the new system is likely to yield; and
- (c) the extent of representation each factor would be given in the new CPI along with the basis thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE (IC) FOR LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT (SHRI BANDARU DATTATREYA)

(a): Yes, Madam.

(b) &(c): Extension of new sectors viz. Construction & Handloom and industrial centres increased from 78 to 88, based on the concentration of industrial population.