## GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF PLANNING

# RAJYA SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 146 TO BE ANSWERED ON 04.12.2023

### REDUCTION IN TAX SHARE OF KERALA DUE TO SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT

- 146 DR. V. SIVADASAN:
  - Will the Minister of PLANNING be pleased to state:
- (a) whether the NITI Aayog has conducted any study regarding the problem faced by States like Kerala where 'reduction in population growth rate due to social development' has led to 'reduction in the share of taxes from the divisible pool'; and
- (b) whether there is any plan to provide special assistance to States which suffer from decline in share of taxes due to reduced population growth rates?

#### ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) OF THE MINISTRY OF STATISTICS AND PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION; MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) OF THE MINISTRY OF PLANNING AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CORPORATE AFFAIRS

### (RAO INDERJIT SINGH)

- (a) No Sir.
- (b) There is no such plan.

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