GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF PLANNING

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 5240 TO BE ANSWERED ON 05.04.2017

INDICATORS FOR SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS

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Will the Minister of PLANNING be pleased to state:

- a) whether the Government has developed various indicators for the targets under the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) and its monitoring framework and if so, the details and the progress thereof;
- b) whether all the Ministries have initiated the process of development of the said indicators in convergence with the Central Sector Schemes and if so, the details thereof;
- c) whether the Government has involved various stakeholders such as civil societies, women organisations etc. in the development of the said indicators and if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefore; and
- d) whether the Government has asked the State Governments to align their respective State schemes with the SDGs and if so, the details thereof and the progress made by the State Governments in this regard, State/UT-wise and if not, the reasons therefor?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) FOR MINISTRY OF PLANNING AND MINISTER OF STATE FOR MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT AND MINISTRY OF HOUSING &URBAN POVERTY ALLEVIATION

(RAO INDERJIT SINGH)

- (a) & (b) An initial set of draft Indicator Framework for monitoring the progress of Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) at the national level has been developed in consultation with the concerned administrative Central Ministries/Departments and the State Governments/UT Administrations.
- (c) This initial set of draft indicator framework has since been uploaded on the weblink:http://www.mospi.gov.in/sites/default/files/announcements/SDG_DraftNational_Indicators8m ar17.pdf for open consultation with the general public, academia, researchers, research institutions, experts, Civil Society Organizations, NGOs, etc.
- (d) Yes Madam, NITI Aayog has carried out mapping of all Sustainable Development Goals on the Central Ministries, Centrally-Sponsored Schemes, and major Government initiatives. NITI Aayog has circulated the draft mapping to all State and Union Territory Governments and requested them to similarly map out State schemes. National Indicators being evolved by MOSPI would inter alia facilitate to assess progress being made by States/UTs.
