GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2097 TO BE ANSWERED ON 01st JANUARY, 2018

SECTOR-WISE EMPLOYMENT POLICY

2097. SHRI K. ASHOK KUMAR:

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

- (a) whether the Government proposes to frame a new sector-wise National Employment Policy in this financial year even as it grapples employment generation;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether the proposed National Employment Policy will ensure shift from informal to formal jobs in the country and if so, the details thereof;
- (d) whether the Government held discussions with the trade unions in this regard; and
- (e) if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE (IC) FOR LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT (SHRI SANTOSH KUMAR GANGWAR)

(a) to (e): An Inter-Ministerial Committee has been constituted to draft the National Employment Policy and consultations have been held with various stakeholders like Ministries, State Governments, Trade Unions, Industry Associations etc. for inputs to the Policy.

The proposed policy inter-alia is likely to address macro economic policy issues, sectoral policy issues, Labour policy, micro and small enterprises' issues, skill development issues, issues relating to women and vulnerable workers and may incorporate suggestions for improving employment opportunities.
