GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF COMMERCE & INDUSTRY DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRIAL POLICY & PROMOTION

LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 408. TO BE ANSWERED ON MONDAY, THE 18TH DECEMBER, 2017.

NEW INDUSTRIAL POLICY

408. SHRI B. VINOD KUMAR:

Will the Minister of **COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY** be pleased to state:

वाणिज्य एवं उद्योग मंत्री

- (a) whether the Government has initiated the process of formulation of a new Industrial Policy;
- if so, whether the Government has also constituted a Task Force on Artificial Intelligence for India's Economic Transformation to provide inputs for the new industrial policy; and
- (c) if so, the details thereof along with the recommendations made therein?

ANSWER

वाणिज्य एवं उद्योग मंत्रालय में राज्यमंत्री (श्री सी.आर. चौधरी) THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE & INDUSTRY (SHRI C.R. CHAUDHARY)

- (a): Yes, Madam.
- (b) & (c): Yes, a Task Force on Artificial Intelligence for India's Economic Transformation has been constituted on 24.08.2017 to provide inputs for the new industrial policy. The Task Force includes members from academia, industry and government and is chaired by Dr. V. Kamakoti, Indian Institute of Technology, Madras.
