## GOVERNMENT OF INDIA (MINISTRY OF TRIBAL AFFAIRS)

#### **LOK SABHA**

### **UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. †3187**

TO BE ANSWERED ON 06.08.2018

#### HIGHER EDUCATION TO CHILDREN OF NAXAL AFFECTED AREAS

### †3187. SHRI SANJAY KAKA PATIL:

Will the Minister of TRIBAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government proposes any new project to provide higher education and nutritious food to the children of Maoist and Naxal affected areas;
- (b) whether the Government is likely to invite any Non-Governmental Organisation (NGO) for the purpose to provide education and employment to the children and youths of such affected areas; and (c) if so, the details thereof?

#### **ANSWER**

# MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF TRIBAL AFFAIRS (SHRI JASWANTSINH BHABHOR)

- (a): While the Ministry of Tribal Affairs has been implementing schemes which seek to plug gaps and provide education and health facilities for tribal population, there is no new proposal / project in the Ministry to provide higher education and nutritious food to the children of Maoist and Naxal affected areas.
- (b) & (c): Does not arise, in view of reply in (a) above.

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