GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1268 TO BE ANSWERED ON 11.02.2019

AREA FRAME SURVEY

1268. SHRI RAJESH KUMAR DIWAKER: SHRIMATI SANTOSH AHLAWAT:

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

- (a)whether the Government proposes to undertake Area Frame Survey across all States/UTs by covering enterprises employing less than 10 workers and if so, the details thereof and the reasons therefor;
- (b)whether the labour Bureau has conducted/proposes to conduct a survey to estimate the employment generated under the Pradhan Mantri Mudra Yojana and if so, the details and the findings thereof; and
- (c)whether the Government has conducted/proposes to conduct any inquiry in the Mumbai ESIC hospital fire incident to find out the culprit and if so, the details and the outcome thereof?

ANSWER

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

(a): Yes, Madam. In order to assess the employment generation for sizable segment to Non-farm Industrial economy covering 8 important sectors of the Indian economy in establishment with 9 or less workers, Ministry of Labour & Employment has instituted a survey for this purpose. Labour Bureau, an attached office of the Ministry, has been entrusted with this Survey work which will first prepare a frame for starting this survey work which has been named as Area Frame Survey. An Expert Group constituted by Ministry has already finalized the design and other technical aspects of the survey.

(b): Yes, Madam. In order to assess employment generation under Pradhan Mantri Mudra Yojana (PMMY), Ministry of Labour & Employment has already launched a Survey in the month of April, 2018. Further, the field work and data entry work for the survey has been completed.

(c): Yes, Madam. Members of the Committee constituted by Hon'ble Chief Minister of Maharashtra have already visited ESIC Model Hospital cum Occupational Diseases Centre (ODC), Andheri premises on 03.01.2019. Further, Medical Superintendent, Andheri Hospital has also lodged FIR with Maharashtra police in this regard.

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