# GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF STATISTICS AND PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION

### LOK SABHA

### UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2852 TO BE ANSWERED ON 10.07.2019

#### SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS

# 2852. DR. AMAR SINGH: DR. SUKANTA MAJUMDAR: SHRI RAJA AMARESHWARA NAIK: SHRI VINOD KUMAR SONKAR:

Will the Minister of STATISTICS AND PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has approved the National Indicator Framework (NIF) for monitoring Sustainable Development Goals(SDGs);

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether India is lagging behind to meet targets under the Sustainable Development Goals;

(d) if so, the details of India's progress in meeting the various targets set under the SDGs; and

(e) the steps being taken by the Government in this regard?

#### ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) OF THE MINISTRY OF STATISTICS AND PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION AND MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) OF THE MINISTRY OF PLANNING (RAO INDERJIT SINGH)

(a) & (b): The Ministry has developed a National Indicator Framework (NIF) consisting of 306 indicators in consultation with other Ministries for monitoring the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs).

(c), (d) and (e) : The Government has published "Sustainable Development Goals National Indicator Framework Baseline Report 2015-16", which provides a benchmark for monitoring progress of the country on the various targets under the SDGs. Niti Aayog is responsible for overseeing the implementation of SDGs and has mapped the various government schemes and programmes to the SDGs.

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