GOVERNMENT OF INDIA CABINET SECRETARIAT

LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION No. 2897

TO BE ANSWERED ON WEDNESDAY, JULY 10, 2019 / ASHADHA 19, 1941 (SAKA)

New Committees

2897. SHRI SUDHEER GUPTA: SHRI GAJANAN KIRTIKAR: SHRI BIDYUT BARAN MAHATO:

Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government proposes to set up new committees, one on investment and growth and other on employment and skill development;
- (b) if so, the details of agenda likely to be forwarded by setting such committees;
- (c) the issues likely to be addressed by the said committees; and
- (d) the details of the composition of such committees?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) OF THE MINISTRY OF DEVELOPMENT OF NORTH EASTERN REGION; MINISTER OF STATE IN THE PRIME MINISTER'S OFFICE; MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS; MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF ATOMIC ENERGY; AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF SPACE (DR. JITENDRA SINGH)

- (a): Yes, Sir. The 'Cabinet Committee on Investment and Growth' and the 'Cabinet Committee on Employment and Skill Development' have been constituted on 06.06.2019.
- (b) & (c): The Standing Committees of the Cabinet, and their functions are set out in the First Schedule to the Government of India (Transaction of Business) Rules, 1961 (ToB Rules). The said Committees will address issues relating to Investment and Growth and Employment and Skill Development respectively.
- (d): Extant composition of the two Committees is annexed.

ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY OF PART (d) OF THE LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2897 FOR 10.07.2019 RAISED BY SHRI SUDHEER GUPTA, SHRI GAJANAN KIRTIKAR AND SHRI BIDYUT BARAN MAHATO REGARDING NEW COMMITTEES.

Cabinet Committee on Investment and Growth

Composition

Prime Minister.

Shri Raj Nath Singh, Minister of Defence.

Shri Amit Shah, Minister of Home Affairs.

Shri Nitin Jairam Gadkari, Minister of Road Transport and Highways; and Minister of Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises.

Smt. Nirmala Sitharaman, Minister of Finance; and Minister of Corporate Affairs. Shri Piyush Goyal, Minister of Railways; and Minister of Commerce and Industry.

Cabinet Committee on Employment and Skill Development

Composition

Prime Minister.

Shri Raj Nath Singh, Minister of Defence.

Shri Amit Shah, Minister of Home Affairs.

Smt. Nirmala Sitharaman, Minister of Finance; and Minister of Corporate Affairs.

Shri Narendra Singh Tomar, Minister of Agriculture and Farmers Welfare; Minister of Rural Development; and Minister of Panchayati Raj.

Shri Ramesh Pokhriyal 'Nishank', Minister of Human Resource Development.

- Shri Piyush Goyal, Minister of Railways; and Minister of Commerce and Industry.
- Shri Dharmendra Pradhan, Minister of Petroleum and Natural Gas; and Minister of Steel.

Dr. Mahendra Nath Pandey, Minister of Skill Development and Entrepreneurship.

- Shri Santosh Kumar Gangwar, Minister of State (Independent Charge) of the Ministry of Labour and Employment.
- Shri Hardeep Singh Puri, Minister of State (Independent Charge) of the Ministry of Housing and Urban Affairs; Minister of State (Independent Charge) of the Ministry of Civil Aviation; and Minister of State in the Ministry of Commerce and Industry.

Special Invitees

Shri Nitin Jairam Gadkari, Minister of Road Transport and Highways; and Minister of Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises.

Smt. Harsimrat Kaur Badal, Minister of Food Processing Industries.

- Smt. Smriti Zubin Irani, Minister of Women and Child Development; and Minister of Textiles.
- Shri Prahalad Singh Patel, Minister of State (Independent Charge) of the Ministry of Culture; and Minister of State (Independent Charge) of the Ministry of Tourism.