GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT

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UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3454 TO BE ANSWERED ON 16.03.2020

NATIONAL MINIMUM WAGE

3454. SHRI KOMATI REDDY VENKAT REDDY:

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

- (a)whether the Government has received any request or suggestion to increase National Minimum Wage from Rs.178 to Rs.375;
- (b)if so, the details thereof; and
- (c)the action taken in this regard?

ANSWER

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

(a) to (c): No such request or suggestion to increase National Minimum Wage from Rs.178 to Rs.375 has been received.

However, there is a provision for fixation of basic rate of floor wage as per Section 9 of the Code on Wages, 2019 notified on 08.08.2019.
