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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT
DEPARTMENT OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT

LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3719
TO BE ANSWERED ON 17.03.2020

EMPLOYMENT FOR ALL

3719. SHRI PRATAPRAO JADHAV:

Will the Minister of **RURAL DEVELOPMENT** be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has formulated/proposes to formulate any programme for ensuring employment to all during the next five years; and
- (b) if so, the details thereof along with the funds likely to be spent in this regard?

ANSWER
MINISTER OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT
(SHRI NARENDRA SINGH TOMAR)

(a) to (b): The Ministry has been implementing schemes such as Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee Scheme (MGNREGS) and Deendayal Antyodaya Yojana-National Rural Livelihood Mission (DAY-NRLM) for providing wage and self-employment opportunities to the people in rural areas of the country. MGNREGS aims at enhancing livelihood security of households in rural areas of the country by providing at least one hundred days of guaranteed wage employment in a financial year to every household, whose adult members volunteer to do unskilled manual work resulting in creation of productive assets of prescribed quality and durability. DAY-NRLM aims at strengthening livelihoods security, promoting self-employment and skilled wage employment in rural areas. Deen Dayal Upadhyay Grameen Kaushalya Yojana (DDU-GKY), a sub scheme under DAY-NRLM, is being implemented for skilling rural poor youth to improve their employability. Under DAY-NRLM, Rural Self Employment Training Institutes (RSETIs) are also set up in each district of the country for providing need-based training to prospective entrepreneurs and enabling them to take bank credit to start their own micro enterprises. In the Union Budget 2020-21, the Government has announced allocation of Rs. 61,500 crore to MGNREGS and Rs. 9,210.04 crore to DAY-NRLM.
