GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT

LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1063 TO BE ANSWERED ON 08.02.2021

SOCIAL SECURITY COVERAGE OF EPFO

†1063. SHRIMATI RANJANBEN DHANANJAY BHATT:

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

- (a)whether it is a fact that the Government is considering to extend the domain of the social security of the Employees Provident Fund Organisation (EPFO);
- (b)if so, the steps taken by the Government in this regard; and (c)if not, the reasons therefor?

ANSWER

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

(a) to (c): With the coming into force of the Code on Social Security, 2020, it would be possible to formulate schemes to implement the provisions of the Code to extend social security to workers who are in organised sector or unorganised sector.
