

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF STATISTICS AND PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION**

**LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2709  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 10.03.2021**

**COMPLIANCE WITH SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS**

**2709. DR. (PROF.) KIRIT PREMJI BHAI SOLANKI:**

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

**(a) whether the Government has developed any indicators for the compliance with the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) and if so, the details thereof;**

**(b) whether the Government has issued any guidelines to record information on the indicators for the SDGs and if so, the details thereof; and**

**(c) whether the Government has set up any committee(s) to study the compliance with the SDGs or with specific goals?**

**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 of Statistics and Programme Implementation (MoSPI) has developed a National Indicator Framework (NIF) for facilitating monitoring of the progress of Sustainable Development**

**Goals (SDGs). At present, there are 302 indicators in the NIF. The Ministry has also designed metadata format and guidelines for source Ministries to report data on SDG indicators. MoSPI has also circulated to States/UTs guidelines for the development of State Indicator Framework. The Ministry has released the progress report on SDGs-NIF, namely “Sustainable Development Goals National Indicator Framework Progress Report, 2020 (version 2.1)” on 29th June, 2020.**

**(c): NITI Aayog has constituted a Task Force on Implementation of SDGs and developed SDG India Index to rank the performance of State/UTs based on their achievements across SDGs.**

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