GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF PLANNING

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION No. 1023 TO BE ANSWERED ON 29.04.2016

Task Force on Poverty Eradication

1023. ADV. M. UDHAYAKUMAR: SHRI RAM KUMAR SHARMA: SHRIMATI KOTHAPALLI GEETHA:

Will the **Minister of PLANNING** be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the NITI Aayog's Task Force on Poverty Eradication has made a number of recommendations in the recent past;
- (b) if so, the details and major recommendations/suggestions thereof along with reaction of the Government thereto;
- (c) whether the panel has accepted the Tendulkar line of poverty tool to track the progress in combating extreme poverty and not identification of the poor for the purposes of disbursement of Government doles and subsidies, if so, the details thereof;
- (d) whether the panel has also called for creation of Coastal Economic Zones for sustained rapid growth with job creation potential; and
- (e) if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) FOR MINISTRY OF PLANNING AND MINISTER OF STATE FOR DEFENCE (RAO INDERJIT SINGH)

(a) to (e): As it stands now, the Task Force on Elimination of Poverty in India constituted by NITI Aayog has not submitted its report.
