

(a) whether Government has made any assessment of the growing need for creches for working women in organized sector and if so, the details thereof;

(b) whether Government has any policy to promote creches in the organized sector, beyond the coverage of Rajiv Gandhi National Creche Scheme; and

(c) whether Government proposes to issue guidelines for setting up of creches for the working women in organized sector and if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT (SHRIMATI KRISHNA TIRATH): (a) No, Sir.

(b) and (c) Rajiv Gandhi National Creche Scheme for Children of Working Mothers is being presently implemented through mother NGOs. At present there is no proposal to set up the creches in the organized sector beyond the coverage of this Scheme.

Vision document for women and child development

1010. SHRI GIREESH KUMAR SANGHI:

SHRI SANTOSH BAGRODIA:

Will the Minister of WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the details of the Vision Document for women and child development adopted by the Government for the Eleventh Five Year Plan;

(b) whether it is a fact that the Vision Document does not have any specific component for setting up creches, particularly in the organized sector;

(c) if so, the reasons therefore; and

(d) whether Government would consider expanding the coverage of existing National Creche Scheme?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT (SHRIMATI KRISHNA TIRATH): (a) Details are available in the Planning Commission's website www.planningcommission.gov.in.

(b) and (c) No Sir. In the Eleventh Five Year Plan (2007-2012) document, it was proposed that eligibility criteria for setting up of Creches under Rajiv Gandhi National Creche Scheme for children of Working Mothers would be widened to allow diverse agencies/organizations to participate.

(d) At present there is no proposal to expand the coverage under the existing scheme due to less allocation of funds during the financial year 2009-10.

Creches under Gender Budgeting

1011. SHRI SANTOSH BAGRODIA:

SHRI KALRAJ MISHRA:

Will the Minister of WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether all the Central Ministries and Departments are required to undertake Gender Budgeting;