

the availability of resources, the then Planning Commission conveyed an approved plan outlay of ₹ 4479.00 crore. For the year 2015-16, Ministry of Finance called for annual plan proposals from the Ministry. Accordingly, the Ministry submitted its annual plan proposals to the Ministry of Finance which in turn conveyed an approved annual plan outlay of ₹ 4792.19 crore for the Ministry.

Revamping of quarterly job survey

2066. SHRI A. W. RABI BERNARD: Will the Minister of LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government has decided to revamp its quarterly job survey to reflect the latest employment data from both manufacturing and service sectors in a bid to make it in Sync with policy making, if so, the details thereof;

(b) whether the aim is to have a regular up-to-date jobs data for both policy making and public consumption, if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether Government is set to add more job-creating sectors, including banking insurance, e-commerce and small and medium enterprises; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT (SHRI BANDARU DATTATREYA): (a) to (d) Labour Bureau has been conducting quarterly employment surveys in the selected labour-intensive and export-oriented sectors namely textiles including apparels, metals, gems and jewellery, automobiles, transport, IT/BPO, leather and handloom/powerloom to assess the effect of economic slowdown on employment in India since January, 2009. So far, twenty eight such surveys have been conducted by Labour Bureau and reports thereon released.

Considering the importance of Quarterly Employment Surveys due to its periodicity and results, it was decided to conduct the QES on a large scale by enlarging the sample size and sectors/sub-sectors which includes manufacturing, construction, trade, transport, education, health, etc.

Projects allotted to NGOs

2067. SHRI DARSHAN SINGH YADAV: Will the Minister of TRIBAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) the projects allotted to NGOs for welfare of tribal people during the last two years, State-wise; and

(b) if so, the outcome of the work done by NGOs for welfare and well being of tribal people in the country, State-wise, project-wise and funds allotted for the purpose utilized by these NGOs?