Lok Sabha

(List of Questions for WRITTEN ANSWERS)

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[Prime Minister - ATOMIC ENERGY - COAL - COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY - COMMUNICATIONS - DEFENCE - DEVELOPMENT OF NORTH EASTERN REGION - ELECTRONICS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY - EXTERNAL AFFAIRS - LAW & JUSTICE - MINES - PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS - PERSONNEL,PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS - RAILWAYS - SPACE - STATISTICS AND PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION and PLANNING].

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National Cadet Corps

1611   Shri. Vishnu Dutt Sharma (Khajuraho):

DEFENCE:-

(a) the steps being taken by the Government to provide training facilities to the cadets of National Cadet Corps (NCC) so as to connect them with nation building tasks;
(b) whether the Government proposes to integrate the activities of NCC, Indian Scouts and Guides, Homeguard and Territorial Army with the aim of strengthening national security; and
(c) if so, the details thereof?

Digital India Programme

1612   Shri. T.N. Prathapan (Thrissur):

ELECTRONICS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY:-

(a) whether the Government has any schemes and projects to increase the connectivity of rural areas/villages through information and service centres and if so, the details thereof;

(b) whether the Government has decided to distribute such centres and service hubs to the NGOs working in similar sectors and if so, the details thereof;

(c) the current status of Digital India Programme across the country; and

(d) the manner in which the aforesaid programme has impacted the rural sector?

Empanelment of Social Media Platforms

1613   **Shri. Bellana Chandra Sekhar(Vizianagaram) :**

ELECTRONICS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY:-

(a) whether the Government has recently released policy guidelines for empanelment of social media platforms with the Bureau of Outreach and Communication;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether any guidelines have been issued by the Government to determine the terms of eligibility for such social media platforms; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

Aadhaar Sewa Kendra

1614   **Shri. Gopal Jee Thakur (Darbhanga):**

ELECTRONICS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY:-

(a) whether Aadhaar Card is mandatory for every individual in the country and if so, the details thereof;

(b) whether common people are facing problem in availing several welfare benefits due to non-availability of aadhaar centres at local level and if so, the details thereof and the reasons therefor;

(c) whether the Government proposes to set up

Aadhaar Sewa Kendra in each Panchayat across the country;

(d) if so, the details thereof and the time by which the said Kendras are likely to be set up?

Landline and Mobile Phone Connections

1615   Smt. Poonamben Hematbhai Maadam (jamnagar):

COMMUNICATIONS:-

(a) the number of landline and GSM Mobile phones of MTNL functioning in Delhi and Mumbai and the number of landline and GSM Mobile phones of BSNL functioning during each of the last five years and the current year, State/UT-wise;

(b) the reasons for huge decline if any, in the number of landline and GSM Mobile phones of both the PSUs during the said period;

(c) whether the Government has conducted any enquiry with regard to the working of higher officials of these PSUs in this regard; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

Youth Co:Lab

1616   Shri. Ravindra Shyamnarayan (Gorakhpur):

PLANNING:-

(a) the manner in which Youth Co:Lab is encouraging the youth in the field of entrepreneurship and innovation along with the steps taken in the States, particularly in Haryana in this regard;

(b) the types of innovation on which it focuses along with the number of youth to whom employment has been provided in the country, particularly in Haryana; and

(c) whether the Government has provided for loans thereunder and if so, the details thereof?

Financial Assistance under 'Make in India' Scheme

1617   **Mrs. Diya Kumari** (Rajsamand)**:**

COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY:-

(a) whether the Government provides financial assistance to organizations under 'Make in India' Scheme;
(b) if so, the details thereof;
(c) whether any financial benefits are given by the Government to manufacturing units under the Make in India scheme; and
(d) if so, the details thereof?

Ranking on Ease of Doing Business

1618   **Shri. Su. Thirunavukkarasar** (Tiruchirappalli)**:**

COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY:-

(a) whether India's position has moved forward on the rankings of Year 2020 for 'Ease of Doing Business;
(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether any steps are being taken by the Government to boost the investors' confidence and to remove the hurdles being faced by them;
(c) if so, the details thereof;
(d) the steps taken to further improve the global ranking of the country in the coming years; and
(e) whether the Government has also launched 10-in-1 form for starting company faster and if so, the details thereof?

Import of Chinese Goods

1619   **Shri. Krishna Pal Singh** (Guna)**:**

COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY:-

(a) whether import of Chinese goods/raw materials

have been declining in Indian markets due to the effect of coronavirus;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether the Government is identifying some other options for raw materials being imported from China; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

Calculation of GDP

1620 **Sh. Anto Antony (Pathanamthitta):**

STATISTICS AND PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION:-

(a) whether the Government has noticed that some international financial agencies have raised their concern over the calculation of GDP in India;

(b) if so, the details and the response of the Government in this regard;

(c) whether the Government has noticed that a report of International Labour Organisation has observed that 40 crores of Indians are being pushed to below poverty line; and

(d) if so, the details thereof and the steps taken by the Government in this regard?

Establishing IIPMs

1621 **Sh. Maneka Sanjay Gandhi (Sultanpur):**

COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY:-

(a) whether the Government has any plans of establishing more Indian Institutes of Plantation Management(IIPMs) in the country;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) whether the State Government of Uttar Pradesh has made any representations for the establishment of an IIPM in the state and if so, the present status of the

said request?

Bringing Back Indians Stuck in Bhutan

1622   **Sri Nisith Pramanik (Coochbehar):**

EXTERNAL AFFAIRS :- be pleased to state: the details of steps taken for bringing
back Indian nationals stuck in Bhutan, specially a large
number of people of Coochbehar who are residents of
West Bengal?

Strength of CBI

1623   **Sh. Ravneet Singh (Ludhiana):**

Prime Minister:-

(a) whether it is a fact that there is a sizeable
shortfall in the actual strength vis-a-vis the sanctioned
strength of personnel in the Central Bureau of
Investigation (CBI) in almost all the levels of the
organization;
(b) if so, the details of the sanctioned strength and
actual strength in these organizations for the last three
years, post-wise;
(c) whether any steps are being taken by the
Government to address the issue of filling up of vacancies
in CBI which has a very pivotal role to play in the
security apparatus of our country; and
(d) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons
therefor?

Promotion of Industries in Rajasthan

1624   **Sh. Kanakmal Katara (Banswara):**

COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY:-

(a) the schemes launched by the Government to
promote industries in Banswara-Dungarpur in Rajasthan
and the steps taken by the Government to encourage

these schemes on priority basis；
(b) the industries to be set up/developed in
Banswara‑Dungarpur in Rajasthan；and
(c) the facilities being provided by the Government
to the entrepreneurs in order to promote the industries
in Banswara‑Dungarpur along with the details thereof？

Threat of Cyber Attack

1625   Shri. Talari Rangaiah (anantapur)：

ELECTRONICS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY：-

(a) whether the Government has made any efforts to
protect the public against the possibility of cyber attacks
during lockdown；
(b) if so, the details thereof；
(c) the steps taken by the Government to check
cyber attacks completely and if so, the details thereof；
(d) whether the Government has any statistics
regarding the number of citizens who are vulnerable to
cyber crimes amid Coronavirus pandemic；and
(e) if so, the details thereof？

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