

RAJYA SABHA

List of Questions for ORAL ANSWERS

to be asked at a sitting of the Rajya Sabha to be held on Wednesday, December 4, 2019/Agrahayana 13, 1941 (Saka)

**(Ministries: Civil Aviation; Home Affairs; Housing and Urban Affairs;
Labour and Employment; Petroleum and Natural Gas;
Social Justice and Empowerment; Steel)**

Total number of questions — 15

Law to handle cases of lynching

*166. SHRI TIRUCHI SIVA: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government proposes to draft a law to specifically handle cases of lynching; and

(b) what provisions of the existing laws can be used to bring the perpetrators of the crime to justice?

Number of lynchings in the country

*167. SHRI SYED NASIR HUSSAIN: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that inspite of collecting data for 2017 under headings of mob-lynching, khap panchayat and murder by influential people, the same has not been published by the National Crime Records Bureau (NCRB) in its latest report;

(b) if so, the reasons therefor; and

(c) the data of the number of lynchings that have occurred in the last three years including the current year, State-wise?

Piped sewer system in cities

†*168. SHRI NARANBHAI J. RATHWA: Will the Minister of HOUSING AND URBAN AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) the percentage of cities which have piped sewer system in the country;

(b) whether cleanliness of cities can be maintained in the absence of 100 per cent piped sewer system across cities;

(c) what is Government's response thereto; and

(d) the corrective measures taken by Government in this regard?

Scholarship for students from weaker sections to study abroad

*169. SHRI NARAYAN LAL PANCHARIYA: Will the Minister of SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government has any scheme to provide scholarship to students from weaker sections of society for studying abroad;

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(b) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor;

(c) whether Government has laid down any eligibility criteria for such scholarships; and

(d) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?

Violence against migrant labourers

*170. SHRI AHAMED HASSAN: Will the Minister of LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that violence against migrant labourers has increased in the last three years;

(b) if so, the details of migrant labourers of West Bengal affected in other parts of the country in the last three years;

(c) whether Government has taken any step to ensure the safety of migrant labourers within the country; and

(d) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?

Study on cause of Naxal problem

†*171. SHRI VISHAMBHAR PRASAD NISHAD: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) the State-wise details of number of Naxalite affected districts in the country;

(b) the details of surrenders by Naxalites in the country during last three years, State-wise;

(c) the details of Naxalite activities in the country during last three years, district-wise and State-wise;

(d) whether Government has conducted any study to find out the cause of Naxal problem; and

(e) if so, the status thereof?

Data of transgenders in Government job

*172. DR. SANTANU SEN: Will the Minister of LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government has any data on number and percentage of transgenders who applied for any Government job in last three years;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) if not, the reasons and by when Government is planning to collect such data;

(d) the total number of transgenders in Government jobs including Central and State Government jobs; and

(e) the details of increase in the number in last three years, year-wise?

Multi-level car parkings in Delhi

*173. SARDAR SUKHDEV SINGH DHINDSA: Will the Minister of HOUSING AND URBAN AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether DDA in collaboration with various corporations of Delhi have approved any plan to construct multi-level car parking at various empty grounds in order to cope with the parking problems in the capital;

(b) if so, the areas already sanctioned or approved for the purpose;

(c) by when, the sanction/approval was given in each case; and

(d) the areas where work is likely to start?

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Increase is smaller urban clusters

†*174. SHRI P.L. PUNIA: Will the Minister of HOUSING AND URBAN AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the number of smaller urban clusters is increasing rapidly as compared to mega size urban clusters in the country;

(b) if so, the number of smaller urban clusters along with their population;

(c) whether Government proposes to undertake integrated urban planning of smaller urban clusters; and

(d) if so, the details along with action plan thereof?

Transformation of cities into smart cities

†*175. SHRI RAM NATH THAKUR: Will the Minister of HOUSING AND URBAN AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that Government had decided to transform 100 cities into smart cities;

(b) whether it is also a fact that these hundred cities would turn into smart cities by the year 2019-20; and

(c) if so, the latest status thereof?

NIA report on illegal migrants in Karnataka

*176. SHRI RAJEEV CHANDRASEKHAR: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government is considering any specific actions to deport illegal immigrants considering the recent NIA report on illegal Bangladeshi and other migrants in Karnataka especially Bengaluru;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether it is a fact that thousands of daily wage labourers, who have taken shelter illegally, have obtained documents such as Aadhaar and Voter ID cards through illegal means, making it difficult to identify illegal migrants; and

(d) if so, what Government proposes to tackle this situation?

Execution of SCM in Andhra Pradesh and Telangana

*177. SHRI T.G. VENKATESH: Will the Minister of HOUSING AND URBAN AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) the status of the execution of the development of smart cities in the country, particularly in Andhra Pradesh and Telangana States;

(b) whether any review has been conducted on the pace of execution of the project, the details thereof;

(c) whether the work is going as per the scheduled time-frame, if not, the reasons therefor; and

(d) the steps being taken by Government in expediting the completion of smart cities in the country?

Steel production in public and private sector

*178. DR. VINAY P. SAHASRABUDDHE: Will the Minister of STEEL be pleased to state:

(a) what is the status of annual steel production in public and private sector of steel industry during last three years; and

(b) what is the status of total amount of imported steel, country-wise and quantity-wise during the last three years?

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Child trafficking incidents in the country

*179. DR. SASIKALA PUSHPA RAMASWAMY: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether Government is aware of the fact that child trafficking incidents have increased manifold in the country;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether Government has any proposal to set up Anti-Human Trafficking Units in all the districts of the country;

- (d) if so, the details thereof; and
- (e) if not, the reasons therefor?

The unemployment problem

*180. SHRI ASHWINI VAISHNAW: Will the Minister of LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) the recent steps that Government has taken to deal with the unemployment problem; and
- (b) whether partnerships with the private sector is likely to lead to an increase in the number and quality of jobs?

NEW DELHI;
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DESH DEEPAK VERMA,
Secretary-General.

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