

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
PLANNING
LOK SABHA**

STARRED QUESTION NO:144
ANSWERED ON:30.07.2003
EVALUATION OF SCHEMES UNDER 10TH PLAN
ARUN KUMAR

Will the Minister of PLANNING be pleased to state:

(a) whether any specific mechanism has been put in place for monitoring the periodical evaluation of various schemes to achieve the growth rate of 8 per cent during the Tenth Plan period; and

(b) if not, the manner in which the Government propose to ensure that the target is achieved at every stage?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF STATISTICS & PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION, MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PLANNING, MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE & INDUSTRY AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENTS OF ATOMIC ENERGY AND SPACE (SHRI S.B. MOOKHERJEE)

(a) & (b) : A statement is laid on the Table of the House.

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) AND (b) OF LOKSABHA STARRED QUESTION NO.144 REGARDING EVALUATION OF SCHEMES UNDER 10TH PLAN TO BE ANSWERED ON 30.7.2003 BY SHRI ARUN KUMAR.

(a): A three tier monitoring mechanism has been put in place to periodically assess the progress and performance of the plan schemes, projects and programmes to achieve the growth rate of 8 per cent during the Tenth Plan period:

(1) Regular monitoring by all line Ministries/Departments of all schemes/projects/programmes implemented by them

(2) Quarterly Performance Reviews (QPRs) by the Planning Commission to monitor progress of both physical and financial performance of Plan schemes and implementation of policy initiatives of each Ministry/Department

(3) Periodic monitoring of Priority Agenda for Action by the Prime Minister's Office and Committee of Secretaries.

(b): Question does not arise.