

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT
LOK SABHA**

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SOCIAL SECURITY FOR UNEMPLOYED
Rao Shri Kavuru Samba Siva

Will the Minister of LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government proposes to enact a law to provide social security for the unemployed in the country;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) if not, the reasons therefor;
- (d) whether the Government proposes to cover all those who could not be provided employment within a specific period of time; and
- (e) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF LABOUR & EMPLOYMENT (SHRI K. CHANDRASEKHAR RAO)

a) to e): No, Sir. However, a provision has been made in the National Rural Employment Guarantee Bill to provide unemployment allowance to those who report for work but do not get work.