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- While stating this here today, an official spokesman said that the amount of wages outstanding till date has been credited to the accounts of MGNREGA workers and the amount of material component would also be given soon.
- He said it is pertinent to mention that under this scheme, more than Rs. 450 crore has been spent in the year 2019 as compared to previous years in Haryana and considering this, an estimated amount of about Rs. 550 crore has been approved for the year 2020-21 under this scheme.
- Meanwhile, during the lockdown period, instead of community works, the focus of the scheme would be on the tasks to be carried out on private land so that the workers can avail the advantage of the MGNREGA scheme during this period, while complying with the norms of social distancing.