

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT  
RAJYA SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.1541  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 04<sup>TH</sup> MARCH, 2020**

**JOBS/EMPLOYMENT THROUGH EMPLOYMENT EXCHANGES**

**1541. SHRI PARIMAL NATHWANI:**

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

- (a) the number of employment exchanges functioning in the country at present, State/UT-wise;**
- (b) whether a decrease has been noticed in the registration of the job seekers in employment exchanges, if so, the details thereof and the reasons therefor; and**
- (c) the number of jobs provided to the registered unemployed persons through employment exchanges during the last three years and the current year, year-wise and State/UT-wise?**

**ANSWER**

**MINISTER OF STATE (IC) FOR LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT  
(SHRI SANTOSH KUMAR GANGWAR)**

**(a) to (c): As per the information received from the States/UTs, at present 997 employment exchanges are functioning in the country.**

**As per the information received from the States/UTs, the number of job seekers, all of whom may not necessarily be unemployed, who got registered in employment exchanges in the country during 2015, 2016 and 2017 were 69.4 lakh, 59.6 lakh and 39.5 lakh respectively. The State/UT-wise detail of number of employment exchanges and job seekers placed through employment exchanges in the country to the extent available is given at Annexure.**

Annexure referred to in reply to part (a to c) of Rajya Sabha Unstarred Question No. 1541 due for reply on 04-03-2020.

State/UT-wise details of Job seekers placed through employment exchanges in the country to the extent available.

Sl. N.	State/UTs	No. of Employment Exchanges	Placement (in thousand)			
			2014	2015	2016	2017
1	Andhra Pradesh	17	0.42	0.20	0.50	0.23
2	Arunachal Pradesh	12	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
3	Assam	52	1.14	0.85	0.60	0.84
4	Bihar	47	0.09	1.10	1.90	0.26
5	Chhattisgarh	26	0.94	3.18	0.20	0.47
6	Delhi	14	0.24	0.19	0.00	0.00
7	Goa	1	2.15	2.91	1.10	0.00
8	Gujarat	48	290.84	336.67	330.10	394.96
9	Haryana	59	0.25	0.28	0.40	0.05
10	Himachal Pradesh	15	2.30	1.11	1.50	0.74
11	Jammu & Kashmir	17	0.37	0.08	0.20	1.61
12	Jharkhand	42	1.05	2.95	2.50	3.54
13	Karnataka	40	2.14	0.79	0.70	0.39
14	Kerala	89	7.99	8.22	11.30	8.89
15	Madhya Pradesh	49	0.25	0.11	0.10	0.00
16	Maharashtra	47	9.55	22.88	37.60	2.94
17	Manipur	11	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.49
18	Meghalaya	12	0.03	0.15	0.00	0.01
19	Mizoram	3	0.07	0.01	0.00	0.00
20	Nagaland	8	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
21	Odisha	40	0.70	1.25	3.80	3.86
22	Punjab	47	2.43	1.71	2.60	2.07
23	Rajasthan	38	0.44	0.39	0.10	0.12
24	Sikkim#	-	-	-	-	-
25	Tamil Nadu	35	8.80	7.73	6.20	1.75
26	Telangana	14	-	0.50	0.50	0.09
27	Tripura	5	2.43	0.38	0.20	0.05
28	Uttarakhand	24	0.58	0.22	0.30	0.06
29	Uttar Pradesh	100	1.30	0.41	1.50	0.96
30	West Bengal	77	1.48	0.47	1.20	0.00
31	A & N Islands	1	0.13	0.11	0.40	0.00
32	Chandigarh	2	0.06	0.08	0.20	0.16
33	D & N Haveli	1	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
34	Daman And Diu	2	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
35	Lakshadweep	1	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
36	Puducherry	1	0.33	0.09	0.10	0.03
	<b>Total@</b>	<b>997</b>	<b>338.50</b>	<b>394.99</b>	<b>405.50</b>	<b>424.55</b>

Source: Employment Exchange Statistics, Directorate General of Employment

Note: #No Employment Exchange is functioning in this State;

@Total may not tally due to rounding off.