

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT  
RAJYA SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 96  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 20.07.2023**

**MIGRATION OF LABOUR IN THE COUNTRY**

**96. DR. SASMIT PATRA:**

**Will the Minister of Labour and Employment be pleased to state:**

- (a) the details of migration of labourers taking place in the country both intra-State and inter-State;**
- (b) the details thereof since 2018 and till present date with reference to data relating to migrant population, skill set-wise; and**
- (c) the details of impact of migration of labourers due to patterns of employment in the country both intra-State and inter-State since 2018?**

**ANSWER**

**MINISTER OF STATE FOR LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT  
(SHRI RAMESWAR TELI)**

**(a) & (b): Migration of workers from one state to another state is a continues process, and dynamic in nature. As per Census 2011 data, the total number of Inter-State migrant workers in the Country are 4,14,22,917. State-wise number of workers who migrated to other States in search of jobs is at Annexure-I.**

**The Garib Kalyan Rojgar Abhiyaan (GKRA) was launched by Hon'ble Prime Minister on 20th June 2020, with a mission to address the challenges faced by returnee migrant workers to their home States. On the lines of the GKRA, Ministry of Skill Development & Entrepreneurship (MSDE) undertook demand driven skilling / orientation under Centrally Sponsored and Centrally Managed (CSCM) component of Pradhan Mantri Kaushal Vikas Yojana (PMKVY 2.0) 2016-2020. GKRA under PMKVY CSCM-STT coverage was in 6 States namely Bihar, Assam, Odisha, Madhya Pradesh, Rajasthan, Uttar Pradesh. Based on inputs received from district committee, targets**

**under Recognition of Prior Learning (RPL) were allocated. RPL Training was implemented in 6 states i.e., Assam, Bihar, Madhya Pradesh Odisha, Rajasthan and Uttar Pradesh. The RPL Project focused on certifying migrant workers who had experience in the same trade to obtain better employment opportunity within or outside the district. The PMKVY 2.0 (GKRA) year-wise, state-wise and sector-wise updated as on 30th June 2023 is at Annexure-II, III &IV respectively.**

**(c): As per the Report Migration in India, 2020-21, based on Periodic Labour Force Survey (PLFS) 2020-21, released by Ministry of Statistics and Programme Implementation (MoSPI), the total migration rate in India was 28.9% and in rural was 26.5%. Out of the total migrant persons, around 10.8% persons were migrated due to employment related reasons. The employment related reasons include in search of employment/better employment, for employment/work (to take up employment/ to take up better employment/business/ proximity to place of work/ transfer) and loss of job/closure of unit/lack of employment opportunities.**

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Annexure referred to in reply to part (a) & (b) of Rajya Sabha Unstarred Question No. 96 for 20.07.2023 raised by Dr. Sasmit Patra, MP (RS) regarding Migration of Labour in the Country.

State wise Number of persons who moved in for work & Employment as per Census - 2011 (Migrant Workers)		
S. No.	States/UTs	Persons
1	ANDAMAN & NICOBAR ISLANDS	52,129
2	ANDHRA PRADESH	37,37,316
3	ARUNACHAL PRADESH	1,19,244
4	ASSAM	5,72,064
5	BIHAR	7,06,557
6	CHANDIGARH	2,06,642
7	CHHATTISGARH	10,21,077
8	DADRA & NAGAR HAVELI	63,779
9	DAMAN & DIU	73,782
10	GOA	1,15,870
11	GUJARAT	30,41,779
12	HARYANA	13,33,644
13	HIMACHAL PRADESH	2,96,268
14	JAMMU & KASHMIR	1,22,587
15	JHARKHAND	8,24,259
16	KARNATAKA	28,87,216
17	KERALA	7,13,934
18	LAKSHADWEEP	6,135
19	MADHYA PRADESH	24,15,635
20	MAHARASHTRA	79,01,819
21	MANIPUR	22,750
22	MEGHALAYA	52,797
23	MIZORAM	62,828
24	NAGALAND	1,10,779
25	NCT OF DELHI	20,29,489
26	ODISHA	8,51,363
27	PUDUCHERRY	70,721
28	PUNJAB	12,44,056
29	RAJASTHAN	17,09,602
30	SIKKIM	46,554
31	TAMIL NADU	34,87,974
32	TRIPURA	92,097
33	UTTAR PRADESH	31,56,125
34	UTTARAKHAND	6,17,094
35	WEST BENGAL	16,56,952
	<b>INDIA</b>	<b>4,14,22,917</b>

**Annexure-II**

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<b>FY wise update of GKRA under PMKVY 2.0 as per SIP reports till 30-Jun-23</b>							
Scheme	Component	Training Type	FY	Trained / Oriented	Certified	Reported Placed	
PMKVY 2.0	CSCM	Short Term Training (STT)	FY-20-21	21,444	10,964	572	
			FY-21-22	66,328	57,257	28,733	
			FY-22-23	-	5,097	6,320	
		Short Term Training (STT) Total			87,772	73,318	35,625
		Recognition of Prior Learning (RPL)	FY-20-21	38,034	25,897	NA	
			FY-21-22	-	4,178	NA	
			FY-22-23	-	117	NA	
		Recognition of Prior Learning (RPL) Total			38,034	30,192	NA
		<b>Total</b>				<b>1,25,806</b>	<b>1,03,510</b>
<i>RPL Orients candidates and doesn't mandate placements</i>							

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State wise update of GKRA under PMKVY 2.0 as per SIP reports till 30-Jun-23					
TC State	Short Term Training (STT)			Recognition of Prior Learning (RPL)	
	Trained	Certified	Reported Placed	Oriented	Certified
Assam	1,105	921	526	504	271
Bihar	31,679	24,595	11,554	20,577	16,306
Madhya Pradesh	15,664	13,889	6,589	3,194	2,399
Odisha	1,804	1,526	530	892	450
Rajasthan	16,438	14,580	8,960	3,651	2,948
Uttar Pradesh	21,082	17,807	7,466	9,216	7,818
<b>Total</b>	<b>87,772</b>	<b>73,318</b>	<b>35,625</b>	<b>38,034</b>	<b>30,192</b>
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Sector wise update of GKRA under PMKVY 2.0 as per SIP reports till 30-Jun-23					
Sector Name	Short Term Training (STT)			Recognition of Prior Learning (RPL)	
	Trained	Certified	Reported Placed	Oriented	Certified
Aerospace and Aviation	120	118	-	-	-
Agriculture	618	505	158	1,062	701
Apparel	19,060	17,334	9,230	10,053	8,887
Automotive	1,650	1,375	523	1,565	1,377
Beauty and Wellness	2,189	1,493	579	220	114
Capital Goods	1,985	1,148	626	316	160
Construction	11,945	10,812	4,679	9,843	7,669
Domestic Workers	210	129	79	1,111	888
Electronics and Hardware	16,173	13,858	6,799	2,641	1,888
Food Processing	565	434	21	703	620
Furniture and Fittings	180	176	91	860	621
Green Jobs	360	348	151	-	-
Handicrafts and Carpet	360	335	271	-	-
Healthcare	1,750	1,343	106	420	260
Infrastructure Equipment	180	174	-	-	-
Iron and Steel	150	123	-	94	89
IT-ITeS	4,792	3,758	2,024	777	514
Life Sciences	964	754	619	-	-
Logistics	4,939	4,104	1,960	810	757
Management	650	521	249	264	134
Media and Entertainment	750	713	324	300	276
Mining	360	227	-	-	-
Plumbing	1,672	1,296	689	357	311
Power	1,200	1,142	884	257	197
Retail	7,555	5,464	3,105	3,240	2,369
Telecom	4,992	4,042	1,784	747	571
Tourism & Hospitality	2,403	1,592	674	2,394	1,789
<b>Total</b>	<b>87,772</b>	<b>73,318</b>	<b>35,625</b>	<b>38,034</b>	<b>30,192</b>

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