

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT
RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2007
TO BE ANSWERED ON 08.08.2024**

RATION CARDS BASED ON ESHRAM PORTAL REGISTRATION

2007. # MS. INDU BALA GOSWAMI:

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

- (a) whether a campaign has been launched to make ration cards of labourers registered on eShram portal across the country;**
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and**
- (c) the number of labourers in Kangra district of Himachal Pradesh who have been registered on the eShram portal?**

ANSWER

**MINISTER OF STATE FOR LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT
(SUSHRI SHOBHA KARANDLAJE)**

(a) to (c): Ministry of Labour & Employment launched eShram portal (eshram.gov.in) on 26th August 2021 for creation of a comprehensive National Database of Unorganised Workers verified and seeded with Aadhaar. eShram portal is meant to register and support the unorganised workers by providing them a Universal Account Number (UAN) and eShram cards. As on 02.08.2024, over 29.86 crore unorganised workers have registered on eShram Portal including 4,28,388 registrations in Kangra district of Himachal Pradesh, on a self-declaration basis.

Ministry of Labour and Employment has shared eShram data with the States/ UTs along with ration card status to facilitate States/UTs in issuance of ration card to left-out eligible eShram registrants.
