

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT
RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 414
TO BE ANSWERED ON 06.02.2025**

TARGETS FOR COVERAGE UNDER E-SHRAM PORTAL

414. # SHRI NEERAJ DANGI:

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

- (a) by when the targets set to organize the workers engaged in the unorganized work sector through e-Shram portal are likely to be achieved;**
- (b) whether Government proposes to increase the amount of accident coverage available to each person registered on e-Shram portal; and**
- (c) whether it is a fact that the workers have been deprived of welfare benefits many a time due to technical glitches in the Aadhaar verification system through the e-Shram portal, if so, the details thereof?**

ANSWER

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

(a) to (c): The Ministry of Labour and Employment launched eShram portal (eshram.gov.in) on 26th August 2021 for creation of a comprehensive National Database of Unorganised Workers (NDUW) seeded with Aadhaar. eShram portal is meant to register and support the unorganised workers by providing them a Universal Account Number (UAN) on a self-declaration basis.

As on 30th January 2025, over 30.59 crore unorganised workers have registered on eShram portal. This significant achievement highlights the Government's commitment to bring unorganised workers under a structured framework to facilitate their access to social security and welfare benefits.

As of now, there is no such proposal under consideration to extend the accidental coverage period or the amount for the persons registered on eShram portal.

Additionally, the Aadhaar verification system on the eShram portal has been operating efficiently, with no technical glitches affecting the registration or authentication process. This robust system ensures seamless access to the welfare benefits, reinforcing the Government's commitment to strengthen social security measures for the unorganised workers.
