

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT
RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2180
TO BE ANSWERED ON 06.08.2026**

IMPLEMENTATION OF PMVBRY IN MANIPUR

2180. SMT. ADHIKARIMAYUM SHARDA DEVI:

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

- (a) the number of first-time employees and employers in Manipur, received benefits/incentives under PMVBRY since its launch, district-wise and category-wise;**
- (b) the details of special provisions made to promote employment generation for IDPs in the State;**
- (c) whether Government has received any proposal from GoM, seeking special assistance under PMVBRY or any other employment generation scheme for rehabilitation and livelihood restoration of IDPs and if so, the details thereof and action taken thereon; and**
- (d) the steps taken to facilitate employment, skill-development and social security coverage for displaced youth and affected communities in Manipur, Employment Linked Incentive (ELI) Scheme and or Central employment initiatives?**

ANSWER

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

(a) to (d): The Union Cabinet, on 1 July 2025, approved the Employment Linked Incentive (ELI) Scheme, titled the Pradhan Mantri Viksit Bharat Rojgar Yojana (PMVBRY), to promote employment generation, enhance employability, and strengthen social security across all sectors including MSMEs and rural enterprises, with a particular focus on the manufacturing sector. The scheme comprises two of parts, i.e. Part A and Part B, and focuses on providing support to both employees and employers by way of incentives. Part A of the scheme incentivise the first-time employees of both existing and new establishments by providing one month's EPF wage, subject to a maximum of ₹15,000. Part B incentivises employers by providing up to ₹3000 per month for each additional employment sustained for at least six months.

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Since its implementation in Manipur, incentives amounting to ₹17,65,615 have been disbursed to 513 first-timer employees under Part A of the scheme and ₹23,08,835 have been disbursed to 25 beneficiary establishments for creating an additional 405 jobs.

Employment generation coupled with improving employability is a priority of the Government. Accordingly, Government is implementing various employment generation schemes/ programmes in the country including the State of Manipur. The details of various employment generation schemes/ programmes being implemented by the Government may be seen at https://dge.gov.in/dge/schemes_programmes

Additionally, the Government is also implementing Skill India Mission (SIM) to deliver skill, re-skill and up-skill training through an extensive network of skill development centres/ schools/ colleges /institutes etc. under various schemes, viz. Pradhan Mantri Kaushal Vikas Yojana (PMKVY), Jan Shikshan Sansthan (JSS), National Apprenticeship Promotion Scheme (NAPS) and Craftsmen Training Scheme (CTS) through Industrial Training Institutes (ITIs) in the country. The SIM aims at enabling youth of India to get future ready, equipped with industry relevant skills.

Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology (MeitY) has initiated 'Future Skills PRIME ', a programme for Re-skilling/Up-skilling of IT Manpower for Employability in 10 new/emerging technologies including Artificial Intelligence.

The Ministry of Labour and Employment launched the eShram portal (eshram.gov.in) on 26th August, 2021 for creation of a comprehensive National Database of Unorganised Workers (NDUW) including platform workers, migrant workers, etc. The eShram portal registers the unorganised workers, including gig and platform workers and provides them a Universal Account Number (UAN) on a self-declaration basis. Over 31.81 crore unorganised workers across the country have already been registered on eShram portal. Out of the above, 4,77,208 unorganised workers have been registered in the State of Manipur on eShram Portal.

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So far, fifteen (15) schemes of different Central Ministries/ Departments have already been integrated/ mapped with the eShram to extend benefits and access to social security, insurance or skill development programmes to eShram cardholders including Pradhan Mantri Street Vendors Atmanirbhar Nidhi (PMSVANidhi), Pradhan Mantri Suraksha Bima Yojana (PMSBY), Pradhan Mantri Jeevan Jyoti Bima Yojana (PMJJBY), Viksit Bharat-Guarantee for Rozgar and Ajeevika Mission (Gramin) (VB-G RAM G), Pradhan Mantri Awas Yojana – Gramin (PMAY-G), Ayushman Bharat – Pradhan Mantri Jan Arogya Yojana (AB-PMJAY), Pradhan Mantri Awas Yojana – Urban (PMAY-U), Pradhan Mantri Matsya Sampada Yojana (PMMSY), Pradhan Mantri Kisan Samman Nidhi (PM-KISAN), One Nation One Ration Card (ONORC) and Pradhan Mantri Matru Vandna Yojana (PMMVY), etc.
