

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT
RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 576
TO BE ANSWERED ON 23RD JULY, 2026
UPGRADATION OF NCS PORTAL**

**576. SMT. SADHNA SINGH:
SHRI MITHLESH KUMAR:
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SHRI LAHAR SINGH SIROYA:**

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

- (a) whether the Government has upgraded the National Career Service (NCS) portal to make it more user-friendly and accessible for job seekers and if so, the details thereof;**
- (b) the number of Model Career Centres (MCCs) operational in the country and their role in promoting the use of NCS portal;**
- (c) whether the system predicts current and future skill requirements for the youth and by when a single-window portal for job seekers would be launched; and**
- (d) whether the NCS Portal utilises advanced technologies like Artificial Intelligence(AI) and Meta Data to effectively match job demand and supply?**

ANSWER

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

(a) to (d): The National Career Service (NCS) Portal is a one-stop solution for providing career related services including jobs from private and government sectors, information on online & offline job fairs, job search & matching, career counselling, vocational guidance, information on skill development courses, skill/training programmes etc. through a digital platform [www.ncs.gov.in] to all stakeholders across the country.

The National Career Service (NCS) Portal has been upgraded to a cloud-based, open-architecture platform, and its enhancement is a continuous and dynamic process. Improvements and updates are undertaken in line with evolving requirements, leveraging the latest available technologies. These upgrades include integration with various public and private job and skill portals, enhanced AI-powered features, cloud-based applications for jobseekers and employers, robust verification mechanisms, multilingual support, and the launch of a mobile application to improve accessibility and user experience.

The NCS project also inter alia, envisaged setting up of Model Career Centres (MCCs) in collaboration with States/Institutions to deliver career related services. Till date the Government has approved 407 Model Career Centres across the country.
