

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT
LOK SABHA
STARRED QUESTION NO. *358
TO BE ANSWERED ON 27TH MARCH, 2017

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES FOR WOMEN

***358. SHRI HARISH CHANDRA ALIAS HARISH DWIVEDI:**

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

- (a) the State-wise number of educated, uneducated, skilled, unskilled, self-employed and unemployed women in the country at present; and**
- (b) whether the employment opportunities for women have increased substantially during the last three years and the current year and if so, the details thereof, year-wise?**

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE (IC) FOR LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT
(SHRI BANDARU DATTATREYA)

(a) to (b): A Statement is laid on the Table of the House.

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) to (b) OF LOK SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO. *358 DUE FOR REPLY ON 27.03.2017 BY SHRI HARISH CHANDRA ALIAS HARISH DWIVEDI, M.P. REGARDING “EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES FOR WOMEN”.

(a) to (b): According to the data compiled from State/ UT Governments the details of women jobseekers registered with Employment Exchanges during 2013, not all of whom are necessarily unemployed are given below:

(Figures in thousand)

	Men	Women	Total
10th Class passed	12638.7	6120.9	18759.6
10+2 class passed	7712.4	4400.9	12113.3
Graduates + Post Graduates	4821.9	4319.6	9141.5

Details of registration and placements of women jobseekers registered with Employment Exchanges are as below:

(Figures in thousand)

	2011	2012	2013
Registration of women jobseekers	13694.8	15645.8	16549.1
Placements	85.7	67.8	58.8

Further, according to Annual Employment and Unemployment survey conducted by Labour Bureau, the State-wise details of Worker Population Ratio (WPR), Unemployment Rate and Self-employed for women aged 15 years & above of the country on usual status basis during 2011-12 is at Annex.

Statement referred to in reply to part (a) to (c) of Lok Sabha Starred Question No. *358 due for reply on 27.03.2017

State-wise details of Worker Population Ratio (WPR), Unemployment Rate and Self-employed for women aged 15 years & above of the country on usual status basis during 2011-12.

Sl. No.	State	WPR (per 1000) population)	Unemployment Rate (%)	Self-employed (per 1000 workers)
1	Andhra Pradesh	470	3.7	333
2	Arunachal Pradesh	516	2.9	902
3	Assam	245	8.4	318
4	Bihar	178	3.9	258
5	Chhattisgarh	542	1.1	520
6	Delhi	117	7.1	317
7	Goa	212	15.2	231
8	Gujarat	199	0.5	526
9	Haryana	187	5.5	476
10	Himachal Pradesh	151	16.3	464
11	Jammu & Kashmir	79	25.7	217
12	Jharkhand	482	1.8	557
13	Karnataka	333	1.8	322
14	Kerala	237	24.5	198
15	Madhya Pradesh	172	6.3	476
16	Maharashtra	328	1.7	526
17	Manipur	464	2.7	748
18	Meghalaya	499	6.9	582
19	Mizoram	590	2.3	791
20	Nagaland	559	6.1	750
21	Orissa	237	6.6	427
22	Punjab	94	18.7	277
23	Rajasthan	319	2.8	714
24	Sikkim	482	13.2	508
25	Tamil Nadu	393	5.4	193
26	Telangana	427	4.2	318
27	Tripura	453	16.8	304
28	Uttarakhand	205	9.1	624
29	Uttar Pradesh	120	13.9	505
30	West Bengal	205	6.8	291
31	Andaman & Nicobar	251	30.8	386
32	Chandigarh	81	1.9	91
33	Dadra & Nagar Haveli	161	7.3	365
34	Daman & Diu	152	1.8	456
35	Lakshadweep	155	8.5	356
36	Puducherry	281	10.2	100
	All India	258	5.8	399

Source: NSSO survey report.