

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT**

**LOK SABHA**

**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1308  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 24.07.2017**

**LABOUR ASSESSMENT ON EXPORT**

**†1308. SHRI LALLU SINGH:**

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

- (a) whether the export of garments, jewellery and agriculture products which involves maximum labour intense techniques is decreasing recently;**
- (b) if so, the details thereof along with the decrease in percentage terms registered/reported during the last three years and the current year, State/UT-wise;**
- (c) whether any assessment about negative effects of reduction in the export of such products on the labour class has been conducted; and**
- (d) if so, the details along with the findings thereof and the follow up action taken thereon?**

**ANSWER**

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

**(a) & (b): No, Madam. The Export of garments, jewellery and agricultural products have shown an overall increase of 5.9% during 2016-17 as compared to in 2015-16.**

**(c) & (d): According to Quarterly Employment Survey of Labour Bureau, there is an overall increase of 95 thousands workers in Manufacturing sector including garments and jewellery units as on 1<sup>st</sup> January, 2017 over 1<sup>st</sup> April, 2016.**

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