

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT  
LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2350  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 31.07.2017**

**LABOUR COURTS**

**2350. SHRI RAJESHBHAI CHUDASAMA:**

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

- (a) the details of the existing number of labour courts set up for resolution of labour disputes in the country, State/UT-wise;**
- (b) the number of cases pending with them for the last three years along with the reasons therefor, State/UT-wise, and**
- (c) the steps taken/being taken by the Government for expeditious settlement of these cases?**

**ANSWER**

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

**(a): As per the provisions of Industrial Disputes Act, 1947, the Central Government has set up twenty-two (22) Central Government Industrial Tribunal-cum-Labour Courts (CGIT-cum-LCs) in various states for resolution of industrial disputes arising in Central Sphere. Out of these, two CGIT-cum-LCs one at Mumbai and the second at Kolkata also function as National Industrial Tribunals (NITs). The list of CGIT-cum-LCs is at Annexure-I.**

**(b): The number of industrial disputes received, disposed of and pending in various labour courts/tribunals during the last three years, i.e. during 2014-15, 2015-16 & 2016-17 are at Annexure-II, III & IV, respectively.**

**The reasons for pendency of cases, inter alia, include:**

- (i) Absence of affected parties at the time of hearing;**
- (ii) Seeking of frequent adjournments by the parties to file documents;**
- (iii) Parties approaching the High Courts challenging orders of reference issued by the appropriate government as well as orders issued by the Tribunals on preliminary points.**

**(c): A Scheme of Holding of Lok Adalats as an "Alternative Grievance Redressal Mechanism" has been introduced from the Tenth Five Year Plan (2002-07) for speedy disposal of industrial disputes in the CGIT-cum-LCs as a remedial measure to tide over the backlog of industrial disputes. In addition, the Presiding Officers of the CGIT-cum-LCs hold camp courts in various parts of the area under their jurisdiction so that workers are not required to travel long distance for disposal of their disputes.**

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## **ANNEXURE – I**

**Annexure referred to in the reply to Part (a) of the Lok Sabha Unstarred Question NO. 2350 to be answered on 31.07.2017.**

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### **List of Central Government Industrial Tribunal-cum-Labour Courts (CGIT-cum-LCs) and National Industrial Tribunals (NITs)**

Sl. No.	Name of CGIT-cum-LC	State/U.T.
1	Mumbai I	Maharashtra
2	Mumbai II	Maharashtra
3	Dhanbad I	Jharkhand
4	Dhanbad II	Jharkhand
5	Asansol	West Bengal
6	Kolkata	West Bengal
7	Chandigarh I	Chandigarh
8	New Delhi I	Delhi
9	Kanpur	Uttar Pradesh
10	Jabalpur	Madhya Pradesh
11	Chennai	Tamil Nadu
12	Bangalore	Karnataka
13	Hyderabad	Telangana and Andhra Pradesh
14	Nagpur	Maharashtra
15	Bhubaneswar	Odisha
16	Lucknow	Uttar Pradesh
17	Jaipur	Rajasthan
18	New Delhi II	Delhi
19	Guwahati	Assam
20	Ernakulam	Kerala
21	Ahmedabad	Gujarat
22	Chandigarh II	Chandigarh

Mumbai I	National Industrial Tribunal
Kolkata	National Industrial Tribunal

**ANNEXURE-II**

**Annexure referred to in the reply to Parts (b) of the Lok Sabha Unstarred Question NO. 2350 to be answered on 31.07.2017.**

**Statement regarding cases and applications during the  
Financial Year 2014-15  
Central Government Industrial Tribunal-cum-Labour Courts (CGIT-  
cum-LC) and National Tribunals.**

Sl. No.	CGIT	CASES				APPLICATIONS			
		B/F from previous year	Received	Disposed	Pending	B/F from previous year	Received	Disposed	Pending
1	<b>Mumbai I</b>	242	23	22	243	138	15	17	136
2	<b>Mumbai II</b>	470	106	57	519	376	29	10	395
3	<b>Dhanbad I</b>	1397	79	183	1,293	199	10	127	82
4	<b>Dhanbad II</b>	781	71	145	707	36	0	14	22
5	<b>Asansol</b>	471	27	79	419	42	9	6	45
6	<b>Kolkata</b>	325	74	80	319	45	11	1	55
7	<b>Chandigarh I</b>	442	143	122	463	48	8	32	24
8	<b>New Delhi I</b>	376	360	47	689	43	38	0	81
9	<b>Kanpur</b>	740	103	40	803	223	26	94	155
10	<b>Jabalpur</b>	1595	122	374	1,343	171	5	35	141
11	<b>Chennai</b>	298	144	173	269	13	10	8	15
12	<b>Bangalore</b>	529	34	145	418	115	47	15	147
13	<b>Hyderabad</b>	900	222	121	1,001	589	12	527	74
14	<b>Nagpur</b>	251	78	99	230	13	8	6	15
15	<b>Bhubaneswar</b>	384	69	31	422	380	25	10	395
16	<b>Lucknow</b>	514	78	68	524	51	24	8	67
17	<b>Jaipur</b>	398	81	32	447	111	1	4	108
18	<b>New Delhi II</b>	551	145	89	607	109	86	108	87
19	<b>Guwahati</b>	91	7	60	38	32	20	21	31
20	<b>Ernakulam</b>	128	54	46	136	6	20	7	19
21	<b>Ahmedabad</b>	2336	88	68	2,356	1,566	38	81	1,523
22	<b>Chandigarh II</b>	503	124	179	448	64	27	1	90
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>13,722</b>	<b>2,232</b>	<b>2,260</b>	<b>13,694</b>	<b>4,370</b>	<b>469</b>	<b>1,132</b>	<b>3,707</b>

<b>Mumbai I, NIT</b>	8	1	0	9	152	0	0	152
<b>Kolkata, NIT</b>	10	1	2	9	79	0	0	79
<b>Total CGIT + NIT</b>	<b>13,740</b>	<b>2,234</b>	<b>2,262</b>	<b>13,712</b>	<b>4,601</b>	<b>469</b>	<b>1,132</b>	<b>3,938</b>

**ANNEXURE-III**

**Annexure referred to in the reply to Parts (b) of the Lok Sabha Unstarred Question NO. 2350 to be answered on 31.07.2017.**

**Statement regarding cases and applications during the  
Financial Year 2015-16**

**Central Government Industrial Tribunal-cum-Labour Courts (CGIT-cum-LC) and National Tribunals.**

Sl. No.	CGIT	CASES				APPLICATIONS			
		B/F from previous year	Received	Disposed	Pending	B/F from previous year	Received	Disposed	Pending
1	<b>Mumbai I</b>	243	0	0	243	136	9	8	137
2	<b>Mumbai II</b>	519	49	9	559	395	73	4	464
3	<b>Dhanbad I</b>	1293	101	201	1,193	82	21	29	74
4	<b>Dhanbad II</b>	707	96	76	727	22	1	1	22
5	<b>Asansol</b>	419	19	87	351	45	55	17	83
6	<b>Kolkata</b>	319	112	65	366	55	13	6	62
7	<b>Chandigarh I</b>	463	56	87	432	24	26	12	38
8	<b>New Delhi I</b>	689	252	97	844	81	47	23	105
9	<b>Kanpur</b>	803	115	78	840	155	29	25	159
10	<b>Jabalpur</b>	1348	128	355	1,121	147	1	96	52
11	<b>Chennai</b>	269	115	140	244	15	23	9	29
12	<b>Bangalore</b>	418	38	6	450	147	33	1	179
13	<b>Hyderabad</b>	1001	136	32	1,105	74	1	1	74
14	<b>Nagpur</b>	230	59	1	288	15	12	0	27
15	<b>Bhubaneswar</b>	422	52	14	460	395	18	1	412
16	<b>Lucknow</b>	524	78	85	517	67	23	28	62
17	<b>Jaipur</b>	447	83	58	472	108	6	5	109
18	<b>New Delhi II</b>	607	153	73	687	88	7	71	24
19	<b>Guwahati</b>	38	10	11	37	31	2	1	32
20	<b>Ernakulam</b>	136	59	24	171	19	14	5	28
21	<b>Ahmedabad</b>	2356	99	225	2,230	1,523	9	226	1,306
22	<b>Chandigarh II</b>	448	166	104	510	90	65	18	137
<b>T O T A L</b>		<b>13,699</b>	<b>1,976</b>	<b>1,828</b>	<b>13,847</b>	<b>3,714</b>	<b>488</b>	<b>587</b>	<b>3,615</b>

<b>Mumbai I, NIT</b>	9	0	1	8	152	2	2	152
<b>Kolkata, NIT</b>	9	0	0	9	79	0	0	79
<b>Total CGIT + NIT</b>	<b>13,717</b>	<b>1,976</b>	<b>1,829</b>	<b>13,864</b>	<b>3,945</b>	<b>490</b>	<b>589</b>	<b>3,846</b>

**ANNEXURE-IV**

**Annexure referred to in the reply to Parts (b) of the Lok Sabha Unstarred Question NO. 2350 to be answered on 31.07.2017.**

**Statement regarding cases and applications during the  
Financial Year 2016-17**

**Central Government Industrial Tribunal-cum-Labour Courts (CGIT-cum-LC) and  
National Tribunals.**

Sl. No.	CGIT	CASES				APPLICATIONS			
		B/F from previous year	Received	Disposed	Pending	B/F from previous year	Received	Disposed	Pending
1	<b>Mumbai I</b>	240	12	13	239	137	7	10	134
2	<b>Mumbai II</b>	559	31	83	507	464	20	25	459
3	<b>Dhanbad I</b>	1193	43	206	1030	74	20	18	76
4	<b>Dhanbad II</b>	720	11	31	700	22	-	-	22
5	<b>Asansol</b>	351	05	82	274	83	31	20	94
6	<b>Kolkata</b>	366	04	03	367	62	0	0	62
7	<b>Chandigarh I</b>	432	209	35	606	38	27	17	48
8	<b>New Delhi I</b>	844	167	148	863	105	129	44	190
9	<b>Kanpur</b>	840	42	67	815	159	12	12	159
10	<b>Jabalpur</b>	1121	96	343	874	52	28	21	59
11	<b>Chennai</b>	2260	48	203	2135	858	122	17	963
12	<b>Bangalore</b>	450	105	57	498	176	38	20	194
13	<b>Hyderabad</b>	1105	63	107	1061	74	78	1	151
14	<b>Nagpur</b>	287	42	-	329	27	03	-	30
15	<b>Bhubaneswar</b>	460	85	97	448	412	211	23	600
16	<b>Lucknow</b>	517	29	42	504	62	67	51	78
17	<b>Jaipur</b>	472	19	55	436	109	2	51	60
18	<b>New Delhi II</b>	687	95	89	693	24	4	5	23
19	<b>Guwahati</b>	37	05	02	40	32	01	0	33
20	<b>Ernakulam</b>	171	30	42	159	28	13	04	37
21	<b>Ahmedabad</b>	2230	57	597	1690	1306	46	272	1080
22	<b>Chandigarh II</b>	510	48	29	529	137	14	58	93
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>13836</b>	<b>1246</b>	<b>2301</b>	<b>12781</b>	<b>3612</b>	<b>873</b>	<b>669</b>	<b>3816</b>

<b>Mumbai I, NIT</b>	8	-	-	8	152	-	-	152
<b>Kolkata, NIT</b>	09	0	0	09	79	0	0	79
<b>Total CGIT + NIT</b>	<b>13853</b>	<b>1246</b>	<b>2301</b>	<b>12798</b>	<b>3843</b>	<b>873</b>	<b>669</b>	<b>4047</b>

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