

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT  
DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL EDUCATION AND LITERACY**

**LOK SABHA**

**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1596  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 5<sup>th</sup> MARCH, 2018**

**Employment in NIOS**

**†1596. SHRI RAM TAHAL CHOUDHARY:**

Will the Minister of **HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT** be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of peons working on daily wages in the National Institute of Open Schooling (NIOS) and its regional offices and number of persons out of them employed since 1997;
- (b) the total number of peons required at present in the said institute;
- (c) the reasons for not making them permanent as per the current requirement of the NIOS;
- (d) the reaction of the Government on the anti-worker attitude of the Institute; and
- (e) the corrective measures taken by the Government in this regard?

**ANSWER**

**MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE  
DEVELOPMENT  
(SHRI UPENDRA KUSHWAHA)**

- (a): 29 Casual Labour/Daily Wages Peons are presently working in the National Institute of Open Schooling (NIOS). None of them has been engaged continuously since 1997.
- (b): These 29 Casual Labour/Daily Wages Peons have been engaged as per the current requirement.
- (c): Causal Labour/Daily Wages Peons are engaged for seasonal work and to meet the temporary requirement for different projects undertaken by NIOS from time to time. There is no scheme to appoint such Causal Labour/Daily Wages Peons on permanent basis in NIOS.
- (d): There is no anti worker attitude in the Institution.
- (e): Does not arise.

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