

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

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 932
TO BE ANSWERED ON 17.12.2018
EPFO SUBSCRIBERS**

932. SHRI ANIL SHIROLE:

SHRI PARBHUBHAI NAGARBHAI VASAVA:

SHRI GEORGE BAKER:

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

- (a) the details of the number of EPFO subscribers across the country, State/UT-wise including Maharashtra, Gujarat and West Bengal;**
- (b) whether the Government is planning/proposing to link their unique account number with Aadhaar, bank and mobile numbers;**
- (c) if so, the details thereof and the reasons therefor; and**
- (d) the time by which it is likely to be done along with the steps taken in this regard?**

ANSWER

**MINISTER OF STATE(IC) FOR LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT
(SHRI SANTOSH KUMAR GANGWAR)**

(a): The number of Employees' Provident Fund Organisation (EPFO) subscribers (contributory) for the month of March, 2018 across the country, State/UT-wise including Maharashtra, Gujarat and West Bengal is at Annex A.

(b): The Universal Account Number (UAN) allotment started in October, 2014 linking with Aadhaar, Bank Account and Mobile Number.

(c): Till date, 14.41 crore UAN have been allotted and 5.5 crore UAN have been seeded with Aadhaar so that members can be provided efficient online services.

(d): The UAN allotment and Aadhaar seeding is an ongoing process. The field offices of EPFO have been provided with online facility to enable change in Know Your Customer (KYC) details and directed to facilitate Aadhaar seeding by providing facilitation center in office premises to help members update KYC details organizing awareness camps, etc.

Annex A

Annex referred to in reply to Part (a) of Lok Sabha Unstarred Question No. 932 for 17.12.2018 raised by Shri Anil Shirole, Shri Parbhubhai Nagarbhai Vasava and Shri George Baker regarding "EPFO Subscribers".

S. No.	STATE/UT	No. of Contributory members in March, 2018 (irrespective of Wage month)
1	ANDAMAN AND NICOBAR ISLANDS	19605
2	ANDHRA PRADESH	1207742
3	ASSAM INCLUDING ARUNACHAL PRADESH, MANIPUR, MIZORAM, NAGALAND & MEGHALAYA.	385966
4	BIHAR	430827
5	CHANDIGARH	419371
6	CHHATTISGARH	481339
7	DELHI	2849458
8	GOA	202841
9	GUJARAT INCULDING DADRA & NAGAR HAVELI & DAMAN & DIU.	3192660
10	HARYANA	2371926
11	HIMACHAL PRADESH	351537
12	JHARKHAND	553110
13	KARNATAKA	5522336
14	KERALA	1209445
15	MADHYA PRADESH	1186864
16	MAHARASHTRA	9488662
17	ODISHA	965238
18	PUNJAB	773244
19	RAJASTHAN	1162078
20	TAMIL NADU INCULDING PUDUCHERRY	5428916
21	TELANGANA	2858600
22	TRIPURA	45282
23	UTTAR PRADESH	2288566
24	UTTARAKHAND	562917
25	WEST BENGAL INCLUDING SIKKIM	3177851
	Grand Total	47136381
