

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT  
LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1178  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 11.12.2023**

**FEATURES OF E-SHRAM PORTAL**

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

- (a) the main features and objectives of e-Shram portal;**
- (b) whether the welfare of unorganized sector labourers is likely to increase due to this portal and if so, the manner in which it is likely to increase;**
- (c) whether the e-Shram portal has been implemented across the country and if so, the details thereof;**
- (d) whether the Government is aware that 94 per cent of the workers are receiving wages less than Rs. 10,000 and they have slipped below the poverty line or come close to the poverty line;**
- (e) if so, the details thereof; and**
- (f) the steps taken/being taken by the Government in this regard?**

**ANSWER**

**MINISTER OF STATE FOR LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT  
(SHRI RAMESWAR TELI)**

**(a) to (f): The Ministry of Labour and Employment has launched eShram portal on 26.08.2021 for registration of Unorganised Workers. It allows an unorganised worker to register himself or herself on the portal on self-declaration basis, under 400 occupations in 30 broad occupation sectors. The main objective of the eShram portal is to create a national database of unorganised workers.**

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**As on 4th December 2023, over 29.20 crore unorganised workers have registered on eShram portal.**

**The main features of eShram portal and benefits that are provided to the workers are as follows:**

- (i) The registration in the portal is fully Aadhaar verified and Aadhaar seeded. Any unorganised worker can register himself or herself on the portal on a self-declaration basis.**
- (ii) eShram has a feature to capture family details of migrant workers.**
- (iii) Data of construction workers registered on eShram portal is shared with States/UTs to facilitate their registration in respective Building and other Construction Workers (BoCW) boards.**
- (iv) eShram has been integrated with National Career Service (NCS) Portal. An unorganised worker can register on NCS using his/her Universal Account Number (UAN) and search for suitable job opportunities. An option/ link has also been provided to registrant on eShram portal to seamlessly register on NCS.**
- (v) eShram is also integrated with Pradhan Mantri Shram-yogi Maandhan (PM-SYM). PM-SYM is a pension scheme for unorganised workers who are aged between 18-40 years. Using UAN (eShram) number, any unorganised worker can easily register on Maandhan portal.**
- (vi) To provide skill enhancement and apprenticeship opportunities to unorganised worker, eShram has been integrated with Skill India Digital portal of Ministry of Skill Development and Entrepreneurship.**
- (vii) eShram is also integrated with myScheme portal. myScheme is a National Platform that aims to offer one-stop search and discovery of the Government schemes. It provides an innovative, technology-based solution to discover scheme information based upon the eligibility of the citizen. The platform helps the citizen to find the right Government schemes for them. It also guides on how to apply for different Government schemes. Through this integration, all the eShram registrants can check the schemes for which they are eligible.**

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