# GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT LOK SABHA

## UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2121 TO BE ANSWERED ON 8<sup>TH</sup> MARCH, 2021

#### **EMPLOYMENT AVENUES**

#### **2121. SHRI RAJAN VICHARE:**

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

- (a) whether the Government has any scheme to solve the problem of increasing unemployment;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) the total number of employment avenues generated in the country during the last one year and the State-wise details thereof; and
- (d) the number of persons registered under Pradhan Mantri Shrama Yogi Maandhan scheme during the last six months?

#### **ANSWER**

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

(a) to (c): Employment generation coupled with improving employability is the priority of the Government. Government has taken various steps for generating employment in the country like encouraging various projects involving substantial investment and increasing public expenditure on schemes like Prime Minister's Employment Generation Programme (PMEGP), Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee Scheme (MGNREGS), Pt. Deen Dayal Upadhyaya Grameen Kaushalya Yojana (DDU-GKY) and Deendayal Antodaya Yojana-National Urban Livelihoods Mission (DAY-NULM) run by Ministry of Micro, Small & Medium Enterprises, Ministry of Rural Development and Ministry of Housing & Urban Affairs, respectively. The State/UT-wise details of the schemes/ programmes are at Annexure.

Government is implementing Pradhan Mantri Rojgar Protsahan Yojana (PMRPY) in the country since 2016 with the objective to incentivise employers for creation of new employment with social security benefits. Under the scheme, Government of India is paying Employer's full contribution i.e. 12% towards EPF and EPS both (as admissible from time to time) for a period of three years to the new employees through EPFO. The terminal date for registration of beneficiary through establishment was 31st March 2019. The beneficiaries registered upto 31st March, 2019 will continue to receive the benefits for 3 years from the date of registration under the scheme.

Aatmanirbhar Bharat Rozgar Yojana (ABRY) Scheme has been launched by the Government to incentivize creation of new employment along with social security benefits and restoration of loss of employment during COVID-19 pandemic. This scheme being implemented through the Employees Provident Fund Organisation (EPFO), reduces the financial burden of the employers of various sectors/industries including MSMEs and encourages them to hire more workers. Under ABRY, Government of India is crediting for a period of two years, both the employees' share (12% of wages) and employers' share (12%

of wages) of contribution payable or only the employees' share, depending on employment strength of the EPFO registered establishments.

Government of India under PM- SVANidhi Scheme has facilitated collateral free working capital loan upto Rs.10,000/- for one-year tenure to street vendors, to resume their businesses.

In addition, RBI and Government of India have introduced measures to infuse liquidity in the economy to sustain the market economy and raise the level of employment.

Under Pradhan Mantri Mudra Yojana (PMMY) for facilitating self-employment, collateral free loans upto Rs. 10 lakh, are extended to micro/small business enterprises and to individuals to enable them to setup or expand their business activities.

(d): 51187 persons have been enrolled/ registerd under Pradhan Mantri Shram Yogi Maan-dhan Scheme during the last six months i.e. from September, 2020 to February, 2021.

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### STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (a) to (c) OF THE LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2121 FOR 08-03-2021

### (a) State/UT-wise details of employment generated under Prime Minister's **Employment Generation Programme (PMEGP)**

		Estimated
01		employment
SI.	State/UTs	generated
No.		(No. of persons)
		2019-20
4	Andaman & Nicobar	744
1	Islands	
2	Andhra Pradesh	17536
3	Arunachal Pradesh	1688
4	Assam	20824
5	Bihar	17768
6	Chandigarh	112
7	Chhattisgarh	22488
8	Delhi	744
9	Goa	720
10	Gujarat*	31864
11	Haryana	16232
12	Himachal Pradesh	9808
13	Jammu and Kashmir	42840
14	Jharkhand	12352
15	Karnataka	29576
16	Kerala	19368
17	Madhya Pradesh	17644
18	Maharashtra**	35232
19	Manipur	9384
20	Meghalaya	3016
21	Mizoram	6080
22	Nagaland	8872
23	Odisha	21744
24	Puducherry	512
25	Punjab	13560
26	Rajasthan	24200
27	Sikkim	632
28	Tamil Nadu	14376
29	Telangana	17424
30	Tripura	7696
31	Uttar Pradesh	48960
32	Uttarakhand	14752
33	West Bengal	17776
34	UT Ladakh	
	Total	533224

Source: M/o Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises
\* including Daman & Diu
\*\* including Dadra & Nagar Haveli
# as on 31.12.2020

(b) State-wise detail of total number of candidates placed in jobs after training under Pt. Deen Dayal Upadhyaya-GrameenKaushlyaYojana (DDU-GKY)

#### **Physical Achievement under DDU-GKY**

		No. of	
		Candidates	
		placed	
SI.	04-4-	FY 2019-20	
No.	State	Placed	
1	Andhra Pradesh	10795	
2	Arunachal Pradesh	0	
3	Assam	13873	
4	Bihar	5861	
5	Chhattisgarh	3842	
6	Gujarat	2249	
7	Haryana	6200	
8	Himachal Pradesh	933	
9	Jammu and Kashmir	1288	
10	Jharkhand	8235	
11	Karnataka	7226	
12	Kerala	8456	
13	Madhya Pradesh	7305	
14	Maharashtra	12756	
15	Manipur	573	
16	Meghalaya	686	
17	Mizoram	359	
18	Nagaland	403	
19	Odisha	30595	
20	Punjab	1311	
21	Rajasthan	4692	
22	Sikkim	32	
23	Tamil Nadu	3324	
24	Telangana	6839	
25	Tripura	524	
26	Uttar Pradesh	7341	
27	Uttarakhand	672	
28	West Bengal	3829	
	Total	150199	

**Source: M/o Rural Development** 

# (c) MAHATMA GANDHI NATIONAL RURAL EMPLOYMENT GUARANTEE (MGNREGA) ACT

### Physical achievement for the last years

(in lakh)

S.		
No.	State/ UT	2019-20
1	ANDHRA PRADESH	2,002
	ARUNACHAL	
2	PRADESH	86
3	ASSAM	624
4	BIHAR	1,418
5	CHHATTISGARH	1,362
6	GOA	0.3
7	GUJARAT	354
8	HARYANA	91
9	HIMACHAL PRADESH	259
	JAMMU AND	
10	KASHMIR	314
11	JHARKHAND	642
12	KARNATAKA	1,119
13	KERALA	802
14	LADAKH	19
15	MADHYA PRADESH	1,931
16	MAHARASHTRA	630
17	MANIPUR	234
18	MEGHALAYA	370
19	MIZORAM	193
20	NAGALAND	138
21	ODISHA	1,115
22	PUNJAB	235
23	RAJASTHAN	3,289
24	SIKKIM	29
25	TAMIL NADU	2,485
26	Telangana	1,071
27	TRIPURA	344
28	UTTAR PRADESH	2,445
29	UTTARAKHAND	206
30	WEST BENGAL	2,723
	ANDAMAN AND	,
31	NICOBAR	2
34	LAKSHADWEEP	0.04
35	PUDUCHERRY	8
	Total	26,542
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**Source: Ministry of Rural Development** 

No. of Skill Trained Candidates placed

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		2019-
S.No.	States/UTs	20
1	Andhra Pradesh	983
2	Arunachal Pradesh	1
3	Assam	1592
4	Bihar	1275
5	Chhattisgarh	1149
6	Goa	160
7	Gujarat	4716
8	Haryana	1804
9	Himachal Pradesh	214
10	Jammu & Kashmir	84
11	Jharkhand	2515
13	Kerala	2508
14	Madhya Pradesh	5599
15	Maharashtra	34832
16	Manipur	87
17	Meghalaya	17
18	Mizoram	838
19	Nagaland	0
20	Odisha	0
21	Punjab	2398
22	Rajasthan	1857
24	Tamil Nadu	322
25	Telangana	1876
26	Tripura	6
27	Uttar Pradesh	2456
28	Uttarakhand	77
29	West Bengal	3649
30	A & N Islands	0
31	Chandigarh	488
	Total	71503

Source: M/o Housing and Urban Affairs