GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2141 TO BE ANSWERED ON 08TH MARCH, 2021

DATA OF UNEMPLOYMENT

2141. SHRI MITESH RAMESHBHAI PATEL(BAKABHAI):

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

- (a) the present system regarding collection of data of unemployment in the country;
- (b) whether the above mentioned system is providing true information regarding unemployed persons;
- (c) whether any system exists under which employed persons can be registered so as to provide opportunity of employment to them and no need to fill forms again and again and save them from payment of exorbitant application fee; and
- (d) if so, the present status thereof?

ANSWER

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

(a) & (b): Annual Periodic Labour Force Survey (PLFS) on employment and unemployment is conducted by National Statistical Office (NSO), Ministry of Statistics and Programme Implementation (MoSPI). Estimates of Labour Force Participation Rate (LFPR), Worker Population Ratio (WPR) and Unemployment rate (UR) are presented through this survey. It is a comprehensive household survey providing labour force statistics in India. The reports of PLFS surveys are available at MoSPI website www.mospi.gov.in.

(c) & (d): Government is implementing the National Career Service (NCS) Project which comprises a digital portal that provides a nation-wide online platform for the job seekers and employers for job-matching in a dynamic manner. NCS portal has also started an online Job Fair module where the complete cycle of job posting to selection of candidate can be completed on the portal. All services on NCS are free of cost.