

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT
LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1003
TO BE ANSWERED ON 26TH JULY, 2021

ATMANIRBHAR BHARAT ROJGAR SCHEME IN RAJASTHAN

1003. SHRIMATI JASKAUR MEENA:

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

- (a) the salient features of Atmnirbhar Bharat Rojgar Scheme;**
- (b) the details of funds sanctioned, allocated and utilized under this scheme in Rajasthan so far;**
- (c) the district-wise details of the people registered under this scheme in Rajasthan so far;**
- (d) the details of target fixed and achievements made so far;**
- (e) whether the Government has planned to expand this scheme in the country; and**
- (f) if so, the details thereof and the details of target fixed under this expansion?**

ANSWER

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

(a): Aatmanirbhar Bharat Rojgar Yojana (ABRY) has been launched as part of Atmanirbhar Bharat package 3.0 to incentivize employers for creation of new employment along with social security benefits and restoration of loss of employment during COVID-19 pandemic. This scheme being implemented through Employees' Provident Fund Organisation (EPFO), seeks to reduce the financial burden of the employers and encourages them to hire more workers. Under the scheme:

- An employee drawing monthly wage of less than Rs. 15000/- who was not working in any establishment registered with the Employees' Provident Fund Organization (EPFO) before 1st October, 2020 is eligible for the benefit. The employees who lost their job during Covid-19 pandemic and didn't join in any EPF covered establishment upto 30.09.2020 are also eligible for the benefit.**
- Government of India is crediting for a period of two years, both the employee's share (12% of wages) and employer's share (12% of wages) of contribution payable or only the employee's share, depending on employment strength of the EPFO registered establishments.**

- **The scheme has commenced from 1st October 2020 and shall remain open for registration of eligible employers and new employees upto 31st March, 2022. Government is paying the subsidy for two years from the date of registration.**

(b) & (c): As on 16.07.2021, benefit of Rs. 57.29 crore has been provided to 1.29 lakh beneficiaries through 6439 establishments in Rajasthan. The district-wise details of people registered and benefitted under the scheme in the State is at Annexure.

(d) to (f): There is no specific State-wise allocation of funds under the scheme. The scheme is intended to benefit a total of 71.80 lakh beneficiaries. As on 16.07.2021, benefit of Rs. 1143.40 crore has been provided to 24.89 lakh employees through 89070 establishments under the scheme.

Mass awareness has been created through large-scale publicity through seminars and workshops with both the employers & employers' associations and employees and union representatives. Moreover, EPFO is also promoting the scheme through social media platforms. Further, to increase the coverage, the registration of beneficiaries which was initially only upto 30.06.2021 has been extended till 31.03.2022.

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (b) & (c) OF THE LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1003 FOR 26-07-2021 REGARDING “ATMANIRBHAR BHARAT ROJGAR SCHEME IN RAJASTHAN”.

List of Beneficiary Establishments (Estts), Employees and Amount of Benefit (as on 16.07.2021)

Sr. No.	District	Establishments	No. of Beneficiaries	BENEFIT AMOUNT (In Rs.)
1	AJMER	236	4,171	20,832,955
2	ALWAR	617	17,015	61,700,841
3	BANSWARA	20	925	2,586,421
4	BARAN	25	385	1,707,011
5	BARMER	74	641	3,163,551
6	BHARATPUR	98	1,413	9,606,786
7	BHILWARA	362	8,836	38,986,415
8	BIKANER	230	3,270	20,202,316
9	BUNDI	24	303	1,320,716
10	CHITTAURGARH	146	3,166	16,139,945
11	CHURU	32	414	1,818,249
12	DAUSA	40	688	4,212,582
13	DHAULPUR	25	424	1,929,878
14	DUNGARPUR	17	667	2,954,750
15	HANUMANGARH	48	718	3,120,669
16	JAIPUR	2,250	48,431	206,522,989
17	JAISALMER	53	873	3,823,015
18	JALOR	24	208	1,517,430
19	JHALAWAR	48	1,774	4,925,756
20	JHUNJHUNUN	62	602	3,584,548
21	JODHPUR	596	8,585	50,012,787
22	KARALI	10	116	835,806
23	KOTA	341	5,157	21,255,491
24	NAGAUR	106	1,474	7,315,018
25	PALI	208	3,378	19,117,344
26	PRATAPGARH	12	132	593,012
27	RAJSAMAND	42	515	2,284,645
28	SAWAI MADHOPUR	16	319	1,468,796
29	SIKAR	107	1,719	9,448,661
30	SIROHI	73	1,368	5,920,861
31	SRI GANGANAGAR	109	2,258	11,362,217
32	TONK	59	700	3,975,025
33	UDAIPUR	329	8,967	28,706,556
	GRAND TOTAL	6,439	129,612	572,953,042