GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.1233 TO BE ANSWERED ON 25TH JULY, 2022

UNEMPLOYMENT DATA

1233. KUNWAR DANISH ALI:

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

- (a) whether the Government compiles State-wise data related to unemployment;
- (b) if so, the details thereof, State-wise; and
- (c) the number of persons who have been provided employment directly and indirectly in the country including Uttar Pradesh during the last three years?

ANSWER

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

(a) to (c): The data on Employment and Unemployment is collected through Periodic Labour Force Survey (PLFS) conducted by the Ministry of Statistics and Programme Implementation (MoSPI) since 2017-18. The survey period is July to June of the next year. As per the latest available Annual PLFS report 2020-21, State/UT-wise estimated Unemployment Rate (UR) on usual status for persons of age 15 years and above during 2020-21 is at Annexure.

The estimated Worker Population Ratio (WPR) for persons of age 15 years and above indicating employment during the last three years is as follows:

Worker Population Ratio (in %)		
Years	All India	Uttar Pradesh
2018-19	47.3	40.8
2019-20	50.9	45.1
2020-21	52.6	48.0

Source: PLFS, MoSPI

Annexure referred to in reply of part (a) to (c) of the Lok Sabha Unstarred Question No. 1233 due for reply on 25.07.2022

State/UT-wise details of Unemployment Rate (UR) for persons of age 15 years and above during 2020-21

States/UTs	Unemployment Rate (in %)	
Andhra Pradesh	4.1	
Arunachal Pradesh	5.7	
Assam	4.1	
Bihar	4.6	
Chhattisgarh	2.5	
Delhi	6.3	
Goa	10.5	
Gujarat	2.2	
Haryana	6.3	
Himachal Pradesh	3.3	
Jharkhand	3.1	
Karnataka	2.7	
Kerala	10.1	
Madhya Pradesh	1.9	
Maharashtra	3.7	
Manipur	5.6	
Meghalaya	1.7	
Mizoram	3.5	
Nagaland	19.2	
Odisha	5.3	
Punjab	6.2	
Rajasthan	4.7	
Sikkim	1.1	
Tamil Nadu	5.2	
Telangana	4.9	
Tripura	3.2	
Uttarakhand	6.9	
Uttar Pradesh	4.2	
West Bengal	3.5	
Andaman & N. Island	9.1	
Chandigarh	7.1	
Dadra & Nagar Haveli & Daman & Diu	4.2	
Jammu & Kashmir	5.9	
Ladakh	2.9	
Lakshadweep	13.4	
Puducherry	6.7	
All India	4.2	

Source : PLFS, MoSPI