GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.2097 TO BE ANSWERED ON 09TH DECEMBER, 2024

REGISTRATION WITH EMPLOYMENT EXCHANGES

2097. SHRI RAM SHIROMANI VERMA:

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

- (a) the details of the educated, uneducated, skilled, semi-skilled and unskilled rural and urban persons/youths, males and females including the persons belonging to the Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes, Other Backward Classes, Differently Abled and Minority Communities registered with the Employment Exchanges during each of the last three years and the current year, State-wise;
- (b) the number of the persons/youth who have got employment during the said period of time, State-wise, year-wise and category-wise;
- (c) the details of employment growth rate in public sector as well as private sector and unemployment rate in the country during each of the last three years and the current year, Statewise; and
- (d) the details of steps taken by the Government to check unemployment rate in the country?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE FOR LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT (SUSHRI SHOBHA KARANDLAJE)

(a) to (d): As per the information received from States/UTs employment exchanges, the data indicating the job-seekers (employed /unemployed), State-wise, Age-wise, educated, Women, Educated Women, Category-wise (viz. Scheduled Caste, Scheduled Tribe), Differently Abled and Minority Communities Jobseekers registered in employment exchanges and placed, is available at https://dge.gov.in/dge/dge-publications-reports-

The official data on Employment and Unemployment is collected through Annual Periodic Labour Force Survey (PLFS) which is conducted by Ministry of Statistics and Programme Implementation (MoSPI) since 2017-18. The survey period is July to June every year.

As per the data available in latest Annual PLFS Reports, the estimated Worker Population Ratio (WPR) indicating employment (including public sector and private sector) on usual status for persons of age 15 years and above has increased from 52.9% in 2021-22 to 58.2% in 2023-24 and estimated Worker Population Ratio (WPR) indicating employment (including public sector and private sector) for youth of age 15-29 years has increased from 36.8% in 2021-22 to 41.7% to 2023-24. State-wise and year-wise details are at Annexure-I and Annexure-II.

Employment generation coupled with improving employability is the priority of the Government. Accordingly, various Ministries/ Departments of Government of India are implementing different employment generation schemes/ programmes like Prime Minister's Employment Generation Programme (PMEGP), Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee Scheme (MGNREGS), Deen Dayal Upadhyaya Grameen Kaushalya Yojana (DDU-GKY), Rural Self Employment and Training Institutes (RSETIs), Deendayal Antyodaya Yojana-National Urban Livelihoods Mission (DAY-NULM), Pradhan Mantri Mudra Yojana (PMMY), etc., which, along with increase in capital expenditure, seeks to boost employment creation. The details of various employment generation schemes/programmes being implemented by the Government of India may be seen at https://dge.gov.in/dge/schemes_programmes.

Further, Government has announced in the Budget 2024-25, the Prime Minister's package of 5 schemes and initiatives to facilitate employment, skilling and other opportunities for 4.1 crore youth over a 5-year period with a central outlay of Rs. 2 lakh crores.

Annexure referred to in reply of part (a) to (d) of the Lok Sabha Unstarred Question No. 2097 due for reply on 09.12.2024

State/UT-wise estimated Worker Population Ratio (WPR) on usual status for persons of age 15 years and above.

State/UTs	Working Population Ratio (%)		
	2021-22	2022-23	2023-24
Andhra Pradesh	57.8	58.6	57.8
Arunachal Pradesh	47.1	64.9	68.5
Assam	52.1	54.5	64.3
Bihar	39.3	47.0	51.6
Chhattisgarh	64.9	70.1	69.7
Delhi	42.3	45.8	45.5
Goa	41.6	45.1	47.4
Gujarat	56.8	61.5	63.9
Haryana	42.5	44.9	47.8
Himachal Pradesh	71.2	73.8	70.3
Jharkhand	60.7	60.9	63.0
Karnataka	53.0	55.6	55.2
Kerala	48.8	50.5	52.2
Madhya Pradesh	60.7	63.4	68.3
Maharashtra	55.9	57.6	57.0
Manipur	40.6	48.7	56.0
Meghalaya	60.5	65.8	72.1
Mizoram	48.9	55.2	53.0
Nagaland	58.4	69.4	68.1
Odisha	52.4	58.9	62.9
Punjab	48.5	50.2	52.7
Rajasthan	54.7	58.8	61.7
Sikkim	69.9	74.0	74.4
Tamil Nadu	55.8	54.7	56.8
Telangana	58.1	57.7	59.2
Tripura	50.6	54.3	62.0
Uttarakhand	48.7	53.5	58.1
Uttar Pradesh	50.1	53.9	55.1
West Bengal	52.7	56.1	59.6
Andaman & N. Island	59.2	60.0	58.0
Chandigarh	42.2	45.6	50.9
Dadra & Nagar Haveli & Daman & Diu	65.8	65.0	67.8
Jammu & Kashmir	58.3	60.7	60.4
Ladakh	58.1	57.0	59.3
Lakshadweep	37.2	35.5	42.7
Puducherry	51.2	49.6	50.0
All India	52.9	56.0	58.2

Source: PLFS, MoSPI

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State/UT-wise estimated Worker Population Ratio (WPR) on usual status for youth of age 15-29 years.

State/UTs	Working Population Ratio (%)		
	2021-22	2022-23	2023-24
Andhra Pradesh	40.6	40.7	37.7
Arunachal Pradesh	20.0	35.1	40.0
Assam	37.6	44.6	44.0
Bihar	21.8	27.0	31.2
Chhattisgarh	47.9	55.6	57.8
Delhi	34.1	33.2	33.3
Goa	30.1	36.6	33.5
Gujarat	47.3	50.3	55.8
Haryana	28.7	30.8	34.6
Himachal Pradesh	51.3	54.6	52.9
Jharkhand	49.2	46.7	49.3
Karnataka	37.1	40.5	38.1
Kerala	28.9	28.9	28.5
Madhya Pradesh	44.7	49.8	56.6
Maharashtra	38.0	39.6	40.1
Manipur	18.7	26.3	24.3
Meghalaya	38.8	41.6	53.1
Mizoram	25.0	25.1	22.5
Nagaland	31.3	38.9	36.5
Odisha	36.3	42.2	46.3
Punjab	37.0	39.2	37.8
Rajasthan	37.6	41.1	44.1
Sikkim	50.2	47.2	52.6
Tamil Nadu	34.5	32.9	35.0
Telangana	38.2	36.3	40.7
Tripura	34.2	36.4	43.9
 Uttarakhand	32.3	37.5	44.2
Uttar Pradesh	34.7	38.5	39.0
West Bengal	39.1	43.3	44.6
Andaman & N. Island	39.2	45.9	43.3
Chandigarh	29.6	34.3	44.9
Dadra & Nagar Haveli & Daman & Diu	57.9	60.9	56.9
Jammu & Kashmir	40.2	41.2	40.2
Ladakh	29.1	25.0	31.0
Lakshadweep	19.4	21.0	31.4
Puducherry	35.8	31.6	36.5
All India	36.8	40.1	41.7