

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT
LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1815
TO BE ANSWERED ON 10TH MARCH, 2025**

STATUS OF EMPLOYMENT

1815. DR.GANAPATHY RAJKUMAR P. :

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

- (a) the details of the number of employments generated during the last three years in the country;**
- (b) whether the Government has conducted a special drive for employment in both the Government and Private Sectors; and**
- (c) if so, the details thereof, if not, the reasons therefor?**

ANSWER

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

(a) to (c): The official data source on Employment and Unemployment is Periodic Labour Force Survey (PLFS) which is conducted by the 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 on usual status for person of age 15 years and above during the year 2021-22 to 2023-24 are as follows:

Year	WPR (in %)
2021-22	52.9
2022-23	56.0
2023-24	58.2

Source: PLFS, MoSPI

The data indicates that the Worker population Ratio for persons of age 15 years and above, indicating employment, has an increasing trend over the years in the country.

The Hon'ble Prime Minister launched the National Rozgar Mela on 22nd October 2022. It is a step towards fulfilment of the commitment of the Government to accord highest priority to employment generation amongst youth. As part of Rozgar Mela, the vacant posts in Central Government are being filled up in a Mission Mode by respective Ministries/Departments. The Recruitment is taking place across all Ministries/Departments/Central Public Bodies / Education and Health Institutions etc., either directly or through the specified Recruitment Agencies in a transparent, time bound and tech-enabled manner providing a wide range of opportunities to the youth of the country. So far 14 Rozgar Melas have been held at central level in 45-50 cities across various State/Union Territories.

Ministry of Labour and Employment, Government of India, is running the National Career Service (NCS) Portal which is a one-stop solution for providing career related services including jobs from private and government sectors, information on online & offline job fairs, job search & matching, career counselling, vocational guidance, information on skill development courses, skill/training programmes etc. through a digital platform [www.ncs.gov.in]. As on 28.02.2025, more than 4.7 crore vacancies have been mobilised on NCS Portal. Further, regular Job Fairs are being organized under in collaboration with State Governments/ Ministries/ Departments, etc. Under the project, more than 55,229 job fairs were organised till 28th February, 2025.
