

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT
LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.2537
TO BE ANSWERED ON 17TH MARCH, 2025**

JOB FAIRS

2537. SHRI GYANESHWAR PATIL:

SHRI BHUMARE SANDIPANRAO ASARAM:

SMT. DELKAR KALABEN MOHANBHAI:

DR. SHIVAJI BANDAPPA KALGE:

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

- (a) the details of the job fairs organized in the country during the last five years till date, year-wise and State-wise including Maharashtra, Madhya Pradesh and Dadra and Nagar Haveli;**
- (b) the details of benefits/impacts of the said fairs;**
- (c) the details of the number of persons got employed through these fairs and the fields of employment;**
- (d) the details of the number of employers participated in the said fairs and the total number of persons employed through them till date;**
- (e) the details of the measures likely to be taken in this regard;**
- (f) whether the unemployed youths in Dadra and Nagar are still unable to find jobs;**
- (g) if so, the reasons therefor;**
- (h) the steps being taken by the Government to provide employment to the unemployed youths in Dadra and Nagar Haveli; and**
- (i) the details of the measures taken in this regard?**

ANSWER

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

(a) to (i) The Ministry of Labour and Employment, Government of India, is implementing the National Career Service (NCS) project for the transformation of the National Employment Service to provide a variety of employment related services like job search & matching, career counselling, information on skill development courses, employability assessment, employability enhancement training etc through a digital portal – www.ncs.gov.in (NCS Portal).

Regular Job Fairs are being organized under various schemes by the State Governments/ Ministries/ Departments etc.

The details of job fairs conducted by State Employment Exchanges/ Model Career Centres in the country including in Maharashtra, Madhya Pradesh and Dadra and Nagar Haveli and jobseeker participated, provisionally selected and employer participated in them job fairs during last five year as on 28th February, 2025 are given as under;

Job Fair	Jobseekers Participated	Jobseeker Shortlisted	Employer Participated
42,981	40,88,791	18,69,833	1,25,093

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) on usual status for persons of age 15 years and above has increased from 54.0% in 2020-21 to 67.8% in 2023-24 in Dadra & Nagar Haveli & Daman & Diu.

Employment generation coupled with improving employability of the youth is a priority of the Government. Accordingly, Government is implementing various employment generation schemes/ programmes across the country including Dadra and Nagar Haveli. These inter-alia include 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), Stand-UP India Scheme, Startup India, etc. The details of various employment generation schemes/programmes being implemented by the Government may be seen at https://dge.gov.in/dge/schemes_programmes
