

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF DEFENCE
DEPARTMENT OF EX-SERVICEMEN WELFARE
LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2157
TO BE ANSWERED ON 01.08.2025

EMPLOYMENT OF EX-SERVICEMEN IN RAJASTHAN

2157. SHRI RAHUL KASWAN:

Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of Ex-servicemen residing in Rajasthan along with the number of them who are currently unemployed/underemployed, district-wise;
- (b) whether any region-specific skilling/entrepreneurship support has been provided under the Directorate General Resettlement (DGR) and if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether the Government has partnered with Defence PSUs/Private firms to offer remote work/contract opportunities for veterans in non-metro areas and if so, the details thereof;
- (d) whether the Government proposes any roadmap to bridge the urban-rural disparity in post-retirement welfare schemes for soldiers; and
- (e) if so, the details thereof?

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(SHRI SANJAY SETH)

- (a) As per the Data of Ex-Servicemen (ESMs) as on 30.06.2024, the total number of ex-servicemen residing in Rajasthan is 2,12,415. District wise data is annexed at Appendix 'A'. No data is being maintained regarding the status of unemployment and underemployment of ex-servicemen.
- (b) Yes Sir, region-specific skilling and entrepreneurship are aimed at empowering Ex-Servicemen (ESM) with relevant industry-aligned skills to support their transition into second careers. In Rajasthan, a total of 32 courses have been organized in the cities viz. Jaipur, Jodhpur, Kota and Beawer for the FY 2025-26.
- (c) As per the Department of Public Enterprises (DPE) Office Memorandum dated 13 September 2018, all PSUs have been advised to undertake provisioning of security services through Directorate General Resettlement (DGR) empanelled Security Agencies under MoD/DESW/DGR Security Agency Scheme. Further, Department of Ex-Servicemen Welfare (DESW) Tech Services Scheme also provides the provision to all PSUs, Private Sector, Industry and Department of Central & State Government for fulfilling their requirements of outsourcing technical manpower through State Ex-Servicemen Corporations.

(d) & (e) To bridge the urban-rural disparity in post-retirement welfare for soldiers, various schemes/programmes run by the Government are class & area agnostic such as Coal Loading & Transportation Scheme, Coal Tipper Attachment Scheme, Security Agency Scheme, Common Service Centres (CSC) Scheme, Village Level Entrepreneurship, Agriculture, Management of Company Owned Company Operated (COCO) Outlets, Mother Dairy Milk Booths and Safal Shops, Company Owned Retail Outlet Dealerships and Reservation in Central Government Posts to live a dignified life post-retirement.

APPENDIX –A REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (a) OF LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2157 TO BE ANSWERED ON 01.08.2025 REGARDING EMPLOYMENT OF EX-SERVICEMEN IN RAJASTHAN

As per Data of ESM as on 30.06.2024					
S.No.	Name of the District	Army	Navy	Air Force	Total
1.	Ajmer	9,924	660	284	10,868
2.	Alwar	9,293	414	289	9,996
3.	Behror	19,150	185	126	19,461
4.	Jalore	144	12	16	172
5.	Barmer	2,017	38	124	2,179
6.	Bharatpur	8,616	290	136	9,042
7.	Dholpur	680	08	05	693
8.	Bhilwara	2,427	52	79	2,558
9.	Chittorgarh	256	09	44	309
10.	Bikaner	3,854	54	557	4,465
11.	Churu	9,519	154	132	9,805
12.	Jaipur	11,870	734	1,223	13,827
13.	Dausa	1,532	18	30	1,580
14.	Jaisalmer	1,752	17	89	1,858
15.	Jhunjhunu	20,471	496	422	21,389
16.	Chirawa	21,383	477	348	22,208
17.	Jodhpur	10,304	2,620	673	13,597
18.	Sheragarh	3,599	63	59	3,721
19.	Phalodi	2,045	65	35	2,145
20.	Kota	2,551	112	136	2,799
21.	Bundi	1,131	11	12	1,154
22.	Baran	314	08	03	325
23.	Jhalwar	477	06	11	494
24.	Nagaur	5,239	73	155	5,467
25.	Didwana	11,718	232	326	12,276
26.	Pali	1,664	98	189	1,951
27.	Beawer	831	70	53	954
28.	Sirohi	352	75	81	508
29.	Karauli	5,756	17	26	5,799
30.	Sawaimadhopur	1,284	10	14	1,308
31.	Sikar	10,300	399	775	11,474
32.	Neem ka Thana	5,875	159	182	6,216
33.	Sri Ganganager	1,389	19	117	1,525
34.	Hanumangarh	3,040	34	133	3,207
35.	Tonk	1,327	26	14	1,367
36.	Udaipur	1,332	274	324	1,930
37.	Salumber	99	03	02	104
38.	Dungarpur	228	32	40	300
39.	Banswara	71	04	11	86
40.	Pratapgarh	54	02	09	65
41.	Rajsamand	2,481	393	359	3,233
		1,96,349	8,423	7,643	2,12,415

Source: Rajya Sainik Board, Rajasthan thorough DGR.
