

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT
LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 4064
TO BE ANSWERED ON 18.08.2025**

WORKERS OF UNORGANISED SECTORS

†4064. SMT. MANJU SHARMA:

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

- (a) whether the Government has any data regarding the number of the workers engaged in the unorganised sectors;**
- (b) if so, the details thereof, State/UT-wise;**
- (c) the details of the ongoing schemes being implemented or likely to be implemented in near future for the workers in the unorganised sectors across the country;**
- (d) the details of the criteria set for the said schemes;**
- (e) the details of the people benefitted with the said schemes in Rajasthan, district-wise; and**
- (f) the steps taken by the Government to ensure the social safety of the workers engaged in the unorganised sectors?**

ANSWER

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

(a) to (f): The Ministry of Labour and Employment launched eShram portal (eshram.gov.in) on 26th August 2021 for creation of a comprehensive National Database of Unorganised Workers (NDUW) seeded with Aadhaar. eShram portal is meant to register and support the unorganised workers by providing them a Universal Account Number (UAN) on a self-declaration basis.

As on 12th August 2025, over 30.99 crore unorganised workers have already registered on eShram portal.

Any worker, engaged in the unorganised sector and is not (i) an income tax payee (ii) a member of ESIC or EPFO, is an unorganised worker. Any unorganised worker, who is aged between 16-59 years, is eligible to register on the eShram portal.

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State/UT-wise details of workers engaged in unorganised sectors and district-wise details of unorganised workers registered on eShram in Rajasthan are at annexure-I and annexure-II.

In keeping with the vision of the Budget Announcement 2024-25 on developing eShram as a One-Stop-Solution for unorganized workers to have access to various social security schemes, Ministry of Labour and Employment launched the eShram-“One-Stop-Solution” on 21st October 2024. eShram- “One-Stop-Solution” entails integration of different social security/ welfare schemes at single portal i.e. eShram. This enables unorganised workers registered on eShram to access social security schemes and see benefits availed by them so far, through eShram.

So far, fourteen (14) schemes of different Central Ministries/ Departments have already been integrated/ mapped with the eShram to extend benefits and access to social security, insurance or skill development programmes to eShram cardholders including Pradhan Mantri Street Vendors Atmanirbhar Nidhi (PMSVANidhi), Pradhan Mantri Suraksha Bima Yojana (PMSBY), Pradhan Mantri Jeevan Jyoti Bima Yojana (PMJJBY), National Family Benefit Scheme (NFBS), Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee scheme (MGNREGS), Pradhan Mantri Awas Yojana – Gramin (PMAY-G), Ayushman Bharat – Pradhan Mantri Jan Arogya Yojana (AB-PMJAY), Pradhan Mantri Awas Yojana – Urban (PMAY-U), Pradhan Mantri Matsya Sampada Yojana (PMMSY), Pradhan Mantri Kisan Samman Nidhi (PM-KISAN), One Nation One Ration Card (ONORC) and Pradhan Mantri Matru Vandna Yojana (PMMVY).

Apart from the above, eShram has linkages with Pradhan Mantri Shram Yogi Maan-dhan (PM-SYM), National Career Service (NCS), Skill India Digital Hub (SIDH), Unified Mobile Application for New-age Governance (UMANG), Digital Locker (DigiLocker), myScheme and Open Government Data Platform (OGD).

The Ministry of Labour and Employment launched multilingual functionality on the eShram portal on 7th January 2025, using the Bhashini platform. This enhancement now allows workers to interact with eShram portal in 22 Indian languages, improving accessibility and promoting inclusivity for all. To make eShram and associated services, readily available to unorganized workers, the Ministry of Labour & Employment launched the eShram mobile application on 24th February 2025. This application provides real-time access to welfare schemes integrated with eShram, significantly improving accessibility and convenience.

Annexure referred to in reply to Part (a) to (f) of the Lok Sabha Unstarred Question No. 4064 for 18.08.2025 regarding “Workers of Unorganised Sectors” .

State/UT-wise details of workers engaged in unorganised sectors are as under:

State Name	Total
ANDAMAN AND NICOBAR ISLANDS	34,494
ANDHRA PRADESH	86,26,454
ARUNACHAL PRADESH	2,10,070
ASSAM	77,18,576
BIHAR	3,00,41,767
CHANDIGARH	1,88,598
CHHATTISGARH	86,04,722
DELHI	35,80,892
GOA	83,116
GUJARAT	1,21,85,535
HARYANA	54,02,887
HIMACHAL PRADESH	20,04,049
JAMMU AND KASHMIR	36,00,123
JHARKHAND	96,97,632
KARNATAKA	1,08,93,719
KERALA	60,68,417
LADAKH	34,705
LAKSHADWEEP	2,843
MADHYA PRADESH	1,89,40,070
MAHARASHTRA	1,78,62,879
MANIPUR	4,64,392
MEGHALAYA	3,52,767
MIZORAM	72,271
NAGALAND	2,38,437
ODISHA	1,36,11,166
PUDUCHERRY	1,94,933
PUNJAB	58,65,729
RAJASTHAN	1,49,19,023
SIKKIM	48,976
TAMIL NADU	93,24,673
TELANGANA	45,45,018
THE DADRA AND NAGAR HAVELI AND DAMAN AND DIU	75,445
TRIPURA	8,96,650
UTTAR PRADESH	8,39,92,913
UTTARAKHAND	30,86,830
WEST BENGAL	2,64,83,035

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District-wise details of unorganised workers registered on eShram in Rajasthan are as under:

Districts	Total
Jaipur	14,07,057
Alwar	8,15,267
Bharatpur	6,77,075
Nagaur	6,69,645
Barmer	6,27,421
Jodhpur	6,09,382
Bhilwara	6,07,426
Ajmer	5,87,891
Sikar	5,58,421
Udaipur	4,45,111
Jhalawar	4,35,917
Dholpur	4,33,870
Jhunjhunu	4,32,000
Churu	4,30,608
Bikaner	4,25,454
Ganganagar	4,13,617
Kota	4,07,805
Hanumangarh	4,03,763
Dausa	3,96,079
Jalore	3,92,378
Banswara	3,75,246
Pali	3,73,673
Karauli	3,62,737
Tonk	3,58,346
Sawai Madhopur	3,20,787
Baran	3,17,542
Chittorgarh	3,14,760
Bundi	2,65,707
Dungarpur	2,64,925
Rajsamand	2,50,547
Pratapgarh	2,12,919
Sirohi	2,07,213
Jaisalmer	1,15,409
Didwana-Kuchaman	1,270
Balotra	853
Beawar	785
Khairthal-Tijara	684
Kotputli-Behror	558
Salumbar	540
Phalodi	392
Deeg	205
