

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT
LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2445
TO BE ANSWERED ON 09.05.2016**

RGSKY

**2445. SHRI BHARTRUHARI MAHTAB:
SHRI SANJAY DHOTRE:**

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

- (a) the salient features of the Rajiv Gandhi Shramik Kalyan Yojana (RGSKY);**
- (b) the number of Central Public Sector Enterprises (CPSEs) closed down along with the number of workers/labourers rendered unemployed across the country during each of the last three years and the current year, State/UT-wise;**
- (c) whether all the workers/labourers rendered unemployed due to closure of CPSEs have been covered under the RGSK Yojana during the said period;**
- (d) if so, the details thereof along with the unemployment allowance, if any disbursed to them during the said period, State/UT-wise; and**
- (e) the steps taken/being taken by the Government for re-employment/rehabilitation of such workers/labourers and to revive the closed CPSEs across the country?**

ANSWER

**MINISTER OF STATE (IC) FOR LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT
(SHRI BANDARU DATTATREYA)**

(a): Rajiv Gandhi Shramik Kalyan Yojana (RGSKY) was introduced w.e.f. 01.04.2005. Under this scheme, Unemployment allowance is paid to the insured person for a maximum period of twelve months (w.e.f. 01.02.2009) who has been rendered unemployed involuntarily on account of closure of factory/establishment, retrenchment or permanent invalidity not less than 40% arising out of non-employment injury, in case contribution in respect of him/her have been paid or payable for a minimum of three years (w.e.f. 11.09.2009) prior to the loss of employment. The Insured Person and his/her family are also entitled to medical care for a period of twelve months (w.e.f. 01.02.2009) from the date of unemployment. This allowance ceases to be payable in case the Insured Persons gets re-employment or attains the age of superannuation or 60 years, whichever is earlier. Daily rate of Unemployment Allowance is 50% of average daily wages drawn by the Insured Person/Insured Woman during the last four completed contribution periods, immediately preceding the date of unemployment.

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(b): The details of the CPSEs closed down during last three years and number of employees therein is at Annexure-I.

(c) & (d): The RGSKY is applicable to those workers who are covered under the ESI Act i.e drawing wages upto Rs.15,000/- p.m. in the implemented areas. The detail of cases admitted and amount disbursed under the RGSKY for the last 3 years and current years is at Annexure-II.

(e): Employees' State Insurance Corporation (ESIC) has been running a skill upgradation programme under RGSKY scheme for the beneficiaries who are in receipt of unemployment allowance and desirous of upgrading their skills. They are entitled for training at various Advanced Vocational Training Institutes (AVTI) located at different places in the country. The Corporation pays the entire fee charged and also reimburses second class rail/bus fare for the beneficiary who travels for attending the training programme.

As a social safety net programme, the Scheme of Counselling, Retraining and Redeployment (CRR) for separated employees of Central Public Sector Enterprises, (CPSEs) is being also implemented by the Government to provide opportunities of self/wage employment to the employees or their dependents of CPSEs separate under Voluntary Retirement Scheme (VRS)/ Voluntary Separation Scheme (VSS) or retrenched due to closure/restructuring of CPSEs. The Scheme aims at providing short duration skill development/ entrepreneurship development training programmes to equip the beneficiaries for self/wage employment. Number of persons trained under CRR during last three years 2013-14, 2014-15 and 2015-16 are 3340, 2525 and 3150 respectively.

Further, the Department of Public Enterprises has issued detailed guidelines on 29.10.2015 for the administrative Ministries/Departments for taking action on revival/ restructuring plan of CPSEs on case to case basis.

ANNEXURE-I

ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (b) OF LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2445 FOR 09.05.2016 BY SHRI BHARTRUHARI MAHTAB AND SHRI SANJAY DHOTRE REGARDING RGSKY.

Closed CPSEs for last 03 years

2014-15

Sl. No.	CPSEs	No. of employees
1	Tyre Corporation of India Ltd.	141
2	Hindustan Vegetable Oils Corp. Ltd.	106
3	Triveni Structurals Ltd.	131
4	Power Equity Capital Advisors Ltd.*	Nil

*Closed (under construction)

2012-13 & 2013-14-No CPSEs closed

ANNEXURE-II

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (c) & (d) OF LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2445 FOR 09.05.2016 BY SHRI BHARTRUHARI MAHTAB AND SHRI SANJAY DHOTRE REGARDING RGSKY.

Cases admitted and amount disbursed under RGSKY during last 3 years and current year

Amount (Rs. in lakhs)

Sl. No.	State/UT	2013		2014		2015		2016	
		Cases admitted during the year	Amount disbursed including admitted previously	Cases admitted during the year	Amount disbursed including admitted in previously	Cases admitted during the year	Amount disbursed including admitted previously	Cases admitted during the year	Amount disbursed including admitted previously
1	Andhra Pradesh & Telangana	108	2378522	1	34332	48	1976416	0	0
2	Assam	0	0	0	0	15	443837	0	0
3	Bihar	22	440179	3	10664	374	7569656	0	43060
4	Chhattisgarh	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
5	Delhi	11	517923	0	101588	3	162121	0	0
6	Goa	75	6741725	49	5344199	130	5833634	0	438145
7	Gujarat	11	138026	0	0	30	1188061	0	0
8	Haryana	3	195275	3	88128	0	0	0	0
9	Himachal Pradesh	1	19830	0	5833	0	0	0	0
10	J&K	14	552338	62	2539235	119	14039019	1	36000
11	Jharkhand	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
12	Karnataka	0	62084	225	3321351	153	8346363	31	1230881
13	Kerala	268	5059315	38	996890	60	2021197	0	310080
14	Madhya Pradesh	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
15	Maharashtra	30	1192879	63	3246676	64	2535041	2	79730
16	Odisha	0	0	0	0	57	3433059	0	0
17	Puducherry	92	3770310	84	5860740	169	8329350	0	14850
18	Punjab	0	69710	1	53655	0	0	0	0
19	Rajasthan	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
20	Tamilnadu	25	1401965	66	2702880	9	479880	0	0
21	Uttar Pradesh	245	7396185	236	6712645	120	11057281	6	0
22	Uttarakhand	1	19160	57	2601418	3	109541	0	0
23	West Bengal	3	382255	0	113515	0	0	0	0
	Total	909	30337681	888	33733749	1354	67524456	40	2152746
