

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT
LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2100
TO BE ANSWERED ON 02ND DECEMBER, 2019**

INCREASING UNEMPLOYMENT

2100. SHRI KODIKUNNIL SURESH:

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

- (a) whether the Government is aware that unemployment is increasing in the country;**
- (b) if so, the details thereof along with the reasons ascertained prima facie for the increase in unemployment?**
- (c) whether the Government has taken steps for employment generation in the country;**
- (d) if so, the details thereof along with the details of successful programme implemented by the Government in this regard during the last five years and the current year;**
- (e) whether the Government has provided employment in public sector in the country; and**
- (f) if so, the details thereof, Department-wise and State-wise during the last five years and the current year?**

ANSWER

**MINISTER OF STATE (IC) FOR LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT
(SHRI SANTOSH KUMAR GANGWAR)**

(a) & (b): As per the results of annual Periodic Labour Force Survey (PLFS) conducted by National Statistical Office (NSO), Ministry of Statistics and Programme Implementation during 2017-18 and annual employment-unemployment surveys conducted by Labour Bureau, Ministry of Labour and Employment, the estimated unemployment rate on usual status (principal status + subsidiary status) basis for the persons age 15 years and above to the extent available is given below:

Unemployment Rate (in %)	
Survey	All-India
2017-18 (PLFS)	6.0%
2015-16 (Labour Bureau)	3.7%
2013-14 (Labour Bureau)	3.4%

(Note: Survey methodology and sample selection are different in PLFS and Labour Bureau survey)

(c) & (d): Employment generation coupled with improving employability is the priority of the Government. Government has taken various steps for generating employment in the country like encouraging private sector of economy, fast-tracking various projects involving substantial investment and increasing public expenditure on schemes such as Prime Minister's Employment Generation Programme (PMEGP), Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee Scheme (MGNREGS), Pt. Deen Dayal Upadhyaya Grameen Kaushalya Yojana (DDU-GKY) and Deendayal Antodaya Yojana-National Urban Livelihoods Mission (DAY-NULM).

Pradhan Mantri Mudra Yojana (PMMY) has been initiated by Government inter alia for facilitating self-employment. Under PMMY collateral free loans upto Rs. 10 lakh, are extended to micro/small business enterprises and to individuals to enable them to setup or expand their business activities.

Government has implemented the National Career Service (NCS) Project which comprises a digital portal that provides a nation-wide online platform for the job seekers and employers for job-matching in a dynamic, efficient and responsive manner and has a repository of career content to job seekers.

Under Skill India Mission, Ministry of Skill Development and Entrepreneurship is implementing a flagship scheme known as the Pradhan Mantri Kaushal Vikas Yojana (PMKVY) 2016-20 with an objective to provide skilling to one crore people under Short Term Training (STT) and Recognition of Prior Learning (RPL) across the country for four years i.e. 2016-2020 with an outlay of 12,000 crore. As on 11.11.2019, 69.03 lakh (approx.) candidates have been trained in the country under PMKVY 2016-20.

(e) & (f): The manpower planning and employment in Central Public Sector Enterprises (CPSEs) is aligned to the objective and targets of their business plans, prevailing business conditions & requirements and other factors like future operations, expansion/investment plan, retirement, attrition etc. As per the Public Enterprises Survey conducted by Department of Public Enterprises, M/o Heavy Industries & Public Enterprises, the Industry-wise and State-wise employment during last five years to the extent available is given at Annexure-I & II.

Annexure referred to in reply to part (e) & (f) of Lok Sabha Unstarred Question No. 2100 due for reply on 02-12-2019.

Industry-wise details of employment in Central Public Sector Enterprises (CPSEs)

(Employment in Numbers)

Sl. No.	Industry Group	2017-18	2016-17	2015-16	2014-15	2013-14
1	Agro Based Industries	3131	3188	2864	3119	2290
2	Coal	294657	306136	318365	328994	342991
3	Crude Oil	41319	43173	43754	43269	44865
4	Other Minerals & Metals	29088	30137	31203	31912	33032
5	Steel	96137	102397	108397	113514	118440
6	Petroleum (Refinery & Marketing)	60013	60473	64757	64893	66257
7	Fertilizers	9977	10563	11217	11894	12706
8	Chemicals & Pharmaceuticals	5504	6042	6283	5397	5969
9	Heavy & Medium Engineering	104440	109495	90742	96507	104506
10	Transportation Vehicle & Equipment	7722	8221	55521	57841	60409
11	Industrial And Consumer Goods	31887	31317	17816	18761	20142
12	Textiles	8871	8957	9017	9573	10165
13	Power Generation	60034	62095	64700	66890	69282
14	Power Transmission	8940	8924	8298	8501	8781
15	Trading & Marketing	27242	28937	78981	84581	85221
16	Transport And Logistic Services	54197	49133	41426	47144	51673
17	Contract & Construction and Tech. Consultancy Services	26957	27061	28735	28698	29206
18	Hotel And Tourist Services	3297	3978	4004	4515	4868
19	Financial Services	3099	3140	3246	3237	3278
20	Telecommunication & Information Technology	210216	225894	242835	259921	275412
21	Enterprises Under Construction	1412	1579	1457	2013	1813
	Grand Total :	1088140	1130840	1233618	1291174	1351306

Source:Public Enterprises Survey, M/o Heavy Industries & Public Enterprises

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State-wise details of employment in Central Public Sector Enterprises (CPSEs)

(Employment in Numbers)

Sl. No.	State / CPSE	2017-18	2016-17	2015-16	2014-15	2013-14
1.	Andaman & Nicobar Islands	1124	983	1227	1366	1250
2.	Andhra Pradesh	50174	51472	58017	62502	78938
3.	Arunachal Pradesh	1494	1563	8237	1629	2390
4.	Assam	35938	36647	35752	42722	43691
5.	Bihar	12254	13015	15201	16246	17200
6.	Chandigarh	582	582	941	1132	1049
7.	Chhattisgarh	77365	81464	79056	82319	85485
8.	Dadra & Nagar Haveli	77	81	88	60	82
9.	Daman And Diu	50	22	21	43	11
10.	Delhi	55935	53824	58640	57797	77816
11.	Goa	3457	3221	3432	3473	3341
12.	Gujrat	34640	34923	36181	36954	38720
13.	Haryana	16779	17339	20798	21777	19571
14.	Himachal Pradesh	6323	6429	6773	7301	7640
15.	Jammu & Kashmir	5840	5762	6770	7096	7696
16.	Jharkhand	127252	133107	140036	147122	152427
17.	Karnataka	57435	58214	62280	64153	67407
18.	Kerala	27906	26011	29208	30506	32843
19.	Lakshadweep	154	0	0	1	5
20.	Madhya Pradesh	63448	66160	78735	82249	85826
21.	Maharashtra	125404	130355	144687	152452	145398
22.	Manipur	589	612	571	636	712
23.	Meghalaya	1071	1101	1250	1282	1382
24.	Mizoram	236	210	216	231	251
25.	Nagaland	553	415	701	907	944
26.	Orissa	60034	60856	64287	65351	67027
27.	Others & Unallocated	28655	51979	23730	25332	31557
28.	Pondicherry	2013	1897	1848	1646	1844
29.	Punjab	14525	15016	27715	29747	30899
30.	Rajasthan	18796	19171	21625	22672	22943
31.	Sikkim	513	522	553	606	625
32.	Tamilnadu	64772	57110	73615	79442	84608
33.	Telangana	17916	18375	18564	19172	-
34.	Tripura	1674	1502	1610	1549	1544
35.	Uttar Pradesh	47989	57563	65440	69175	73509
36.	Uttaranchal	13372	13953	15607	16233	17338
37.	West Bengal	111801	109384	130206	138293	147337
	Grand Total	1088140	1130840	1233618	1291174	1351306

Source: Public Enterprises Survey, M/o Heavy Industries & Public Enterprises