

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT
RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 389
TO BE ANSWERED ON 6TH FEBURARY, 2019**

RISING RATE OF UNEMPLOYMENT

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

- (a) whether unemployment rate has risen in almost all the States in the last three years;**
- (b) if so, the details thereof, year-wise;**
- (c) whether it is a fact that economic growth has not translated into job generation in recent years;**
- (d) if so, whether Government has made any study to find out the reasons and to take remedial measures; and**
- (e) what is the rate of unemployment among the educated youth, the details thereof, year-wise and State-wise?**

ANSWER

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

(a) & (b): As per the results of available labour force surveys on Employment-Unemployment conducted by Labour Bureau, Ministry of Labour and Employment, the estimated unemployment rate for persons aged 15 years and above on usual status basis in the country in 2012-13, 2013-14 and 2015-16 was 4.0%, 3.4% and 3.7% respectively. The State/UT-wise details are given at Annexure-I.

(c) & (d): To ascertain employment and unemployment situation in the country, National Sample Survey Office (NSSO), Ministry of Statistics & Programme Implementation has launched Periodic Labour Force Survey (PLFS) during 2017-18.

(e): As per the results of available labour force surveys on employment-unemployment conducted by Labour Bureau, Ministry of Labour and Employment, the educated unemployed persons aged group 18-29 years on usual principal status approach in the country is given at Annexure-II.

Annexure referred to in reply to part (a & b) of the Rajya Sabha Unstarred Question No. 389 due for reply on 06-02-2019

State/UT-wise details of Unemployment Rate for persons aged 15 years & above according to Usual Principal & Subsidiary Status Approach

Sl. No.	State/UTs	Unemployment Rate (in %)		
		2012-13	2013-14	2015-16
1	Andhra Pradesh	2.3	2.9	3.5
2	Arunachal Pradesh	10.2	6.7	3.9
3	Assam	4.3	2.9	4.0
4	Bihar	5.8	5.6	4.4
5	Chhattisgarh	1.3	2.1	1.2
6	Delhi	5.3	4.4	3.1
7	Goa	9.9	9.6	9.0
8	Gujarat	2.3	0.8	0.6
9	Haryana	4.3	2.9	3.3
10	Himachal Pradesh	2.8	1.8	10.2
11	Jammu & Kashmir	8.2	8.2	6.6
12	Jharkhand	5.9	1.8	2.2
13	Karnataka	1.8	1.7	1.4
14	Kerala	9.6	9.3	10.6
15	Madhya Pradesh	1.8	2.3	3.0
16	Maharashtra	3.2	2.2	1.5
17	Manipur	2.2	3.4	3.4
18	Meghalaya	3.5	2.6	4.0
19	Mizoram	2.2	2.0	1.5
20	Nagaland	6.2	6.7	5.6
21	Odisha	5.1	4.3	3.8
22	Punjab	4.7	5.4	5.8
23	Rajasthan	2.3	3.1	2.5
24	Sikkim	12.2	7.1	8.9
25	Tamil Nadu	3.6	3.3	3.8
26	Telangana	0.0	3.1	2.7
27	Tripura	8.4	6.2	10.0
28	Uttarakhand	4.5	5.5	6.1
29	Uttar Pradesh	4.9	4.0	5.8
30	West Bengal	5.9	4.2	3.6
31	A & N Islands	9.8	13.0	12.0
32	Chandigarh	5.6	2.8	3.4
33	Dadra & Nagar Haveli	1.2	4.6	2.7
34	Daman & Diu	1.2	6.6	0.3
35	Lakshadweep	10.2	10.5	4.3
36	Puducherry	10.1	8.8	4.8
	All India	4.0	3.4	3.7

Source: Employment-Unemployment Surveys of Labour Bureau

Annexure referred to in reply to part (e) of the Rajya Sabha Unstarred Question No. 389 due for reply on 06-02-2019

State/UT-wise details of educated unemployed persons aged 18-29 years according to Usual Principal Status Approach

Sl. No.	State/UTs	Educated Unemployed (in %)		
		2012-13	2013-14	2015-16
1	Andhra Pradesh	4.2	6.4	5.7
2	Arunachal Pradesh	18.0	18.0	10.5
3	Assam	8.5	9.1	6.3
4	Bihar	6.7	8.2	6.2
5	Chhattisgarh	1.9	4.5	2.8
6	Delhi	6.3	5.7	2.7
7	Goa	9.1	13.4	11.9
8	Gujarat	2.7	1.4	1.0
9	Haryana	5.3	5.2	4.3
10	Himachal Pradesh	9.9	13.2	10.9
11	Jammu & Kashmir	10.4	9.5	6.2
12	Jharkhand	10.6	8.5	8.2
13	Karnataka	2.4	2.6	1.9
14	Kerala	13.3	16.1	11.2
15	Madhya Pradesh	3.1	4.1	2.9
16	Maharashtra	5.6	4.0	2.6
17	Manipur	4.0	9.8	5.8
18	Meghalaya	5.9	6.3	4.2
19	Mizoram	4.2	6.6	3.3
20	Nagaland	9.7	11.2	10.5
21	Odisha	8.1	9.4	6.1
22	Punjab	6.1	7.1	5.8
23	Rajasthan	3.7	6.4	5.4
24	Sikkim	22.8	23.5	22.6
25	Tamil Nadu	6.3	5.7	6.0
26	Telangana	-	5.6	3.3
27	Tripura	15.9	17.1	16.9
28	Uttarakhand	6.0	8.3	6.6
29	Uttar Pradesh	6.7	6.8	6.2
30	West Bengal	10.4	6.6	5.4
31	A & N Islands	8.3	19.4	15.4
32	Chandigarh	6.3	2.4	3.9
33	Dadra & Nagar Haveli	0.3	4.1	2.7
34	Daman & Diu	1.8	5.2	0.3
35	Lakshadweep	12.0	14.8	7.5
36	Puducherry	17.4	9.3	8.3
	All India	6.1	6.3	5.1

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