GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2221 TO BE ANSWERED ON 05TH AUGUST, 2024

STUDY CONDUCTED BY SBI REGARDING JOB CREATION

2221. SHRI DHAIRYASHEEL SAMBHAJIRAO MANE: SHRI CHAVAN VASANTRAO BALWANTRAO: SHRI SUDHEER GUPTA:

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

- (a) whether State Bank of India(SBI) has conducted any study recently about number of jobs created in the country during the period from 2014 to 2023;
- (b) if so, the details thereof and the findings of such study;
- (c) whether Economic Research Department of SBI has also made a report on the data provided by the Reserve Bank of India (RBI) about jobs created during 2014-2023 in various sectors like manufacturing, services etc;
- (d) if so, the details thereof and the average number of jobs created per year during the said period; and
- (e) whether the Government has any target for job creation for the current fiscal year, i.e., 2024-2025 and for the next three years and if so, the details thereof along with the steps taken/to be taken by the Government in this regard?

ANSWER

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

(a) to (e): According to State Bank of India (SBI)'s Research ECOWRAP, 10th July, 2024, as per Reserve Bank of India (RBI) during 2014-2023, 12.5 crore jobs have been created as compared to only 2.9 crore during 2004-2014. Excluding, agriculture, the total number of jobs created in Manufacturing and Services is at 8.9 crores during 2014-2023 and 6.6 crores during 2004-2014.

Further, Government announced in the Budget 2024-25, the Prime Minister's package of 5 schemes and initiatives to facilitate employment, skilling and other opportunities for 4.1 crore youth over a 5-year period with a central outlay of Rs. 2 lakh crore.

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