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Commodities Act and Prevention of Black Marketing & Maintenance of Supplies of Essential Commodities Act by the State/Union Territories Governments.

### **Employment Exchanges in the Country**

1934. SHRI MAN MOHAN SAMAL: Will the Minister of LABOUR be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of employment exchange functioning in the country;
- (b) how many of those are located in the tribal areas indicating locations, State-wise;
- (c) whether Government have assessed the percentage of the unemployed youths registered in various employment exchanges in the country during the last three years;
- (d) if so, the details thereof, trade and State-wise; and
- (e) the various job categories that are being informed to the registered persons through the employment exchanges?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF LABOUR (SHRI MUNI LALL): (a) Number of Employment Exchanges functioning in the country as on 31st August 2001 is 938.

(b) All the Employment Exchanges register candidates belonging to all categories including the Scheduled Tribes. The exact details of the employment Exchanges exclusively located in the Tribal dominated areas are not maintained.

(c) and (d) As per the survey carried out in 1988, about 56% of the job seekers registered with Employment Exchanges were unemployed as per Usual Status Approach. Percentage of unemployed job seekers in each occupation is given in the Statement (*See* below).

(c) About 77% of vacancies are notified by the public sector as against 23% by private sector.

**Statement***Percentage of Job seekers in each occupation in the country*

<i>Sl. No.</i>	<i>Occupation</i>	<i>% of unemployed job seekers in each occupation.</i>
1.	Professional technical and related workers	50.58
2.	Administrative, executive managerial, clerical, sales and related workers.	58.00
3.	Service workers, farmers, fishermen, hunters, loggers and related workers.	54.81
4.	Production and related workers, transport equipment operations and labourers.	48.06

*Persons without professional or technical training or previous work experience.*

5.	Below matric including illiterates	56.49
6.	Matric and above but below graduates	56.36
7.	Graduates and above	59.34
	All categories	55.85