on the Indian side of the Line of Actual Control (LAC). The three civilians returned to the Chinese side of the LAC on seeing the Indian Army patrol. As per the agreed modalities, a Flag Meeting was arranged to discuss the intrusion. The Chinese side admitted that the three civilians had crossed over the LAC and agreed to withdraw their equipment immediately.

Government regularly takes up such transgressions along the LAC with the Chinese side through established mechanisms including border personnel meetings, flag meetings, meetings of Working Mechanism for Consultation & Coordination on India-China Border Affairs, as well as through diplomatic channels.

(c) and (d) China disputes the international boundary between India and China. In the Eastern Sector. China claims approximately 90,000 square kilometers of Indian territory in the State of Arunachal Pradesh. The fact that Arunachal Pradesh is an integral and inalienable part of India has been clearly conveyed to the Chinese side on several occasions, including at the highest level.

Unemployment rate among SC, ST and minority population

- 650. SHRI K. SOMAPRASAD: Will the Minister of SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT be pleased to state:
- (a) the details of unemployment rate among SC, ST and minority population of the country during the last three years, year-wise and State-wise; and
- (b) the details of percentage of SC, ST and minority population engaged in agriculture sector as agricultural labourers, State-wise and year-wise?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT (SHRI VIJAY SAMPLA): (a) The estimated Unemployment Rate among SC and ST for aged 15 years and above in the country based on the result of last three available labour force surveys on Employment-Unemployment conducted by Ministry of Labour and Employment is given in the Statement-I (*See* below). The information in respect of unemployment rate among minority communities is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.

(b) State/UT-wise ST population engaged as agriculture labourers based on the Census 2011 is given in the Statement-II (*See* below). The information in respect of unemployment rate among Scheduled Castes (SCs) and minority communities is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.

Statement-I

Unemployment Rate among SC and ST for aged 15 years and above during 2012-13, 2013-14 and 2015-16 in the country

Sl. No. State/UT		Unemployment Rate (in %)						
		2012-13		2013-14		2015-16		
	-	SC	ST	SC	ST	SC	ST	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8:	
1.	Andhra Pradesh	2.5	0.7	4.2	1.3	1.9	3.9	
2.	Arunachal Pradesh	5.4	10.4	11.2	5.6	4.2	4.0	
3.	Assam	5.0	3.3	2.1	3.2	4.0	3.0	
4.	Bihar	4.0	3.3	3.1	4.9	2.1	7.4	
5.	Chhattisgarh	1.2	0.7	1.8	1.7	0.9	0.3	
6.	Delhi	7.4	3.8	3.6	7.5	3.6	12.3	
7.	Goa	<u>-</u>	8.7	4.8	5.1	34.6	11.3	
8.	Gujarat	2.4	2.1	0.9	0.4	0.8	0.8	
9.	Haryana	3.8	0.9	2.5	2.8	2.6	3.1	
10.	Himachal Pradesh	1.9	4.1	0.6	1.2	14.8	0.7	
11.	Jammu and Kashmir	12.3	4.2	8.3	13.5	1.6	4.9	
12.	Jharkhand	5,4	5.5	1.4	1.0	1.4	1.5	
13.	Karnataka	1.5	2.0	1.2	2.2	1.3	1.6	
14.	Kerala	7.9	7.1	8.9	4.9	9.4	18.3	
15.	Madhya Pradesh	1.5	1.2	1.6	1.2	2.8	3.4	
16.	Maharashtra	2.7	2.8	2.7	2.3	1.7	0.6	
17.	Manipur	0.7	2.0	3.6	4.1	3.1	3.3	
18.	Meghalaya	-	3.6	-	2.2	1.7	4.3	
19.	Mizoram	2.5	2.2	3.4	1.8	0.3	1.7	
20.	Nagaland	_	6.7	19.3	6.3	8.2	5.7	
21.	Odisha	3.4	3.4	3.5	1.9	3.4	2.0	
22.	Punjab	5.4	3.5	5.1	1.3	5.6	9.6	

70	Written Answers to	[RAJYA SABHA]			Unstarred Questions		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
23.	Rajasthan	2.2	1.1	2.3	2.7	2.2	2.3
24.	Sikkim	16.5	10.8	2.4	8.0	8.7	12.5
25.	Tamil Nadu	3.8	3.3	3.6	0.9	4.5	1.9
26.	Telangana	-	-	1.5	1.0	1.2	0.4
27.	Tripura	7.6	2.9	7.5	3.5	11.2	5.4
28.	Uttarakhand	6.8	4.0	7.0	11.1	6.3	8.6
29.	Uttar Pradesh	3.5	9.9	3.0	3.6	5.2	2.9
30.	West Bengal	5.9	5.1	4.3	2.9	3.4	2.6
31.	Andaman and Nicobar Island	6.1	2.4	-	-	13.4	20.2
32.	Chandigarh	15.1	1.6	8.7	-	4.2	5.7
33.	Dadra and Nagar Haveli	-	2.1	-	6.5	3.2	3.5
34.	Daman and Diu	18.3	-	23.0	-	-	2.7
35.	Lakshadweep	-	10.6	-	11.1	-	5.1
36.	Puducherry	8.4	-	20.8	-	4.5	-

 $Source: \ Employment-Unemployment \ survey \ of \ Labour \ Bureau.$

Statement-II

State/UT wise ST population engaged as agriculture labourers: Census 2011

State/UTs	ST_MAIN_AL	ST_MARG_AL
Jammu and Kashmir	22120	65413
Himachal Pradesh	3307	6794
Uttarakhand	12652	12548
Rajasthan	378010	704757
Uttar Pradesh	84760	131327
Bihar	190532	193735

Written Answers to

State/UTs	ST_MAIN_AL	ST_MARG_AL
Sikkim	4593	5199
Arunachal Pradesh	6469	9594
Nagaland	15954	36448
Manipur	13619	19133
Mizoram	24436	14723
Tripura	95011	94878
Meghalaya	105573	78427
Assam	91205	168553
West Bengal	717047	733137
Jharkhand	422286	1140898
Odisha	758536	1718927
Chhattisgarh	784929	1051713
Madhya Pradesh	2207854	2036354
Gujarat	1363636	1022364
Daman and Diu	145	116
Dadra and Nagar Haveli	5903	11202
Maharashtra	2405164	609674
Andhra Pradesh	1353645	470075
Karnataka	659887	251623
Goa	3825	6001
Lakshadweep	0	0
Kerala	65509	30520
Tamil Nadu	145721	47551
Andaman and Nicobar Islands	24	86

Note: No Notified Scheduled Tribes in Punjab, Chandigarh, Haryana, NCT of Delhi and Puducherry as in 2011.