

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT  
RAJYA SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.2813  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 19<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER, 2024**

**ATMANIRBHAR BHARAT ROJGAR YOJANA**

**2813. SHRI BABUBHAI JESANGBHAI DESAI:**

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

- (a) whether the Atmanirbhar Bharat Rojgar Yojana (ABRY) has had a positive impact on employment rates in various States, if so, the details thereof;
- (b) the State-wise and year-wise data showing the number of beneficiaries under the scheme up to November 2024;
- (c) the specific sectors that have witnessed the highest employment growth due to the scheme; and
- (d) the measures being taken to enhance the effectiveness of ABRY in States with low beneficiary numbers?

**ANSWER**

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

**(a) to (d):** The Aatmanirbhar Bharat Rojgar Yojana (ABRY) was launched with effect from 1st October, 2020 to incentivize employers for creation of new employment and restoration of loss of employment during Covid-19 pandemic. The terminal date for registration of beneficiaries was 31.03.2022. The beneficiaries registered upto 31.03.2022 continued to receive the benefits for 2 years from the date of registration under the scheme. As on 31.03.2024, a total of 60.49 lakhs employees have availed the benefit of the scheme in the country.

**The State-wise and year-wise data showing the number of beneficiaries under the scheme up to 31st March 2024 i.e., closure of Scheme, is at Annexure.**

**The sectors that had witnessed the highest number of beneficiaries under the scheme are Expert Services, Textiles, Trading – Commercial Establishments, Engineers- Engineering Contractors and Garments making.**

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**Annexure referred to in reply of part (a) to (d) of Rajya Sabha Unstarred Question No. 2813 due for reply on 19.12.2024**

**State/UT-wise data showing the number of beneficiaries under Aatmanirbhar Bharat Rojgar Yojana (ABRY) up to 31st March 2024 i.e., closure of Scheme**

<b>State/UT</b>	<b>2020-21 to 2023-24</b>	
	<b>Number of Beneficiary Estts.</b>	<b>Number of Beneficiary Employees</b>
<b>ANDAMAN AND NICOBAR ISLANDS</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>479</b>
<b>ANDHRA PRADESH</b>	<b>4041</b>	<b>166930</b>
<b>ARUNACHAL PRADESH</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>514</b>
<b>ASSAM</b>	<b>671</b>	<b>19918</b>
<b>BIHAR</b>	<b>1215</b>	<b>28576</b>
<b>CHANDIGARH</b>	<b>340</b>	<b>13474</b>
<b>CHHATTISGARH</b>	<b>2952</b>	<b>85105</b>
<b>DELHI</b>	<b>3140</b>	<b>227076</b>
<b>GOA</b>	<b>542</b>	<b>20948</b>
<b>GUJARAT</b>	<b>14620</b>	<b>591126</b>
<b>HARYANA</b>	<b>7644</b>	<b>400760</b>
<b>HIMACHAL PRADESH</b>	<b>2164</b>	<b>83382</b>
<b>JAMMU AND KASHMIR</b>	<b>891</b>	<b>19384</b>
<b>JHARKHAND</b>	<b>2248</b>	<b>62776</b>
<b>KARNATAKA</b>	<b>11004</b>	<b>485462</b>
<b>KERALA</b>	<b>2730</b>	<b>96343</b>
<b>LADAKH</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>190</b>
<b>LAKSHADWEEP</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>9</b>
<b>MADHYA PRADESH</b>	<b>6258</b>	<b>205901</b>
<b>MAHARASHTRA</b>	<b>22449</b>	<b>978836</b>
<b>MANIPUR</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>1698</b>
<b>MEGHALAYA</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>1224</b>
<b>MIZORAM</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>377</b>
<b>NAGALAND</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>226</b>
<b>ODISHA</b>	<b>4196</b>	<b>89360</b>
<b>PUDUCHERRY</b>	<b>319</b>	<b>14746</b>
<b>PUNJAB</b>	<b>7794</b>	<b>222363</b>
<b>RAJASTHAN</b>	<b>11483</b>	<b>326998</b>
<b>SIKKIM</b>	<b>114</b>	<b>4008</b>
<b>TAMIL NADU</b>	<b>16450</b>	<b>804738</b>
<b>TELANGANA</b>	<b>5394</b>	<b>283362</b>
<b>THE DADRA AND NAGAR HAVELI AND DAMAN AND DIU</b>	<b>959</b>	<b>52911</b>
<b>TRIPURA</b>	<b>150</b>	<b>5440</b>
<b>UTTAR PRADESH</b>	<b>12413</b>	<b>433724</b>
<b>UTTARAKHAND</b>	<b>2426</b>	<b>93521</b>
<b>WEST BENGAL</b>	<b>7710</b>	<b>227402</b>
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>152517</b>	<b>6049287</b>

**Source: EPFO**