

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT
RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.2813
TO BE ANSWERED ON 19TH 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.

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

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

Source: EPFO