

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT
RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2337
TO BE ANSWERED ON 20.03.2025**

JOB SURVEY

2337. SHRI NEERAJ SHEKHAR:

Will the Minister of Labour and Employment be pleased to state:

- (a) whether Government has conducted surveys to capture job creation in various sectors in the country;**
- (b) if so, the details thereof and the details of results of these surveys;**
- (c) whether job surveys across the sectors i.e. in agriculture, MSME and services sectors are also being done; and**
- (d) if so, the details thereof?**

ANSWER

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

(a) to (d): The official data on Employment and Unemployment is collected through Annual Periodic Labour Force Survey (PLFS), which is conducted by Ministry of Statistics and Programme Implementation (MoSPI) since 2017-18. The survey period is July to June every year.

As per the data available in latest Annual PLFS Reports, the estimated Unemployment Rate (UR) on usual status for persons of age 15 years and above has decreased from 6.0 % during 2017-18 to 3.2% in 2023-24. Further, the estimated Worker Population Ratio (WPR), indicating employment on usual status for person of age 15 years and above increased from 52.9% in 2021-22 to 58.2% in 2023-24. This data indicates that employment, has an increasing trend over the years in the country.
