

Statement
(Figures in thousands)

States	Number of job-seekers on live Register of Employment Exchanges as on 31st December 1979
1	2
1 Andhra Pradesh	1237.1
2 Assam	319.2
3 Bihar	1998.6
4 Gujarat	420.4
5 Haryana	325.7
6 Himachal Pradesh	119.4
7 Jammu & Kashmir	52.7
8 Karnataka	553.9
9 Kerala	1204.2
10 Madhya Pradesh	737.5
11 Maharashtra	1119.7
12 Manipur	88.1
13 Meghalaya	10.3
14 Nagaland	4.3
15 Orissa	429.6
16 Punjab	407.6
17 Rajasthan	338.4
18 Sikkim*	
19 Tamilnadu	987.6
20 Tripura	70.8
21 Uttar Pradesh	1407.6
22 West Bengal	2082.1
UNION TERRITORIES	
1 Andaman & Nicobar Islands	8.0
2 Arunachal Pradesh*	

1	2	
3 Chandigarh	52.8	
4. Dadra & Nagar Haveli*		
5. Delhi	281.4	
6. Goa	25.2	
7. Lakshadweep	4.4	
8. Mizoram	15.3	
9. Pondicherry	32.0	
All India Total		14933.9

NOTE: 1. *No employment Exchange is functioning in these States/Union Territories.

2. Excludes figures in respect of University Employment Information and Guidance Bureaux except for Delhi and Maharashtra.

Employment through the Employment Exchanges

415 SHRI HANNAN MOLLAH Will the Minister of LABOUR be pleased to state:

(a) whether there is any proposal for making employment in all the Central Government concerns through employment exchanges;

(b) whether this policy would be extended to all non-Governmental employments; and

(c) if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF TOURISM & CIVIL AVIATION AND LABOUR (SHRI J. B. PATNAIK): (a) Under existing instructions, recruitment in Central Government Undertakings against posts carrying pay scales the maximum of which do not exceed Rs. 800 per month is required to be made through Employment Exchanges.

(b) and (c). There is no proposal to extend this policy to employment in the private sector as there are legal and administrative difficulties in doing so.