

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS
LOK SABHA**

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DECLINE IN JOBS IN GOVERNMENT AND ORGANISED SECTOR
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Will the Minister of PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the job opportunities in Government and organised sector have declined substantially in the country during the last few years;
- (b) if so, the number of jobs generated in the Government and organised sectors annually during the last three years; and
- (c) the reasons for the decline in job opportunities in Government /organised sector?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS.(SHRI SURESH PACHOURI)

(a) & (b): Employment in the organized sector (Public and private sector taken together) during 2001, 2002 and 2003 was around 277.9 lakh, 272.1 lakh and 270.0 lakh respectively.

(c): Right sizing of the Government Sector and restructuring of the Public Sector to remain competitive in the global market are among the major reasons for this decline.