

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT**

**RAJYA SABHA**

**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 566  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 02.12.2021**

**STATUS OF MIGRANT LABOURERS IN INDIA**

**566. DR. SASMIT PATRA:**

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

- (a) the number of Migrant Labourers working in India during the last three years, State-wise and year-wise details thereof; and**  
**(b) the number of Migrant Labourers working in different states in India categorised in their respective State-wise manner, the details thereof?**

**ANSWER**

**MINISTER OF STATE FOR LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT  
(SHRI RAMESWAR TELI)**

**(a) & (b): The data regarding number of migrant labourers working in India as per Census 2011 is given at the Annexure. However, the data of migrant labourers during the last 3 years is not available. For this purpose Labour Bureau under Ministry of Labour & Employment has launched All India Survey of Migrant workers with effect from 01.04.2021. Due to pandemic, field work was temporarily suspended but resumed from 15.07.2021.**

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**Annexure**

**Annexure referred to in reply to part (a) & (b) of Rajya Sabha Unstarred Question No. 566 for 02.12.2021 regarding Status of Migrant Labourers in India.**

<b>State wise Number of persons who moved in for work &amp; Employment as per Census - 2011 ( Migrant Workers)</b>				
Sl. No.		Persons	Males	Females
1	ANDAMAN & NICOBAR ISLANDS	52,129	47,229	4,900
2	ANDHRA PRADESH	37,37,316	30,51,811	6,85,505
3	ARUNACHAL PRADESH	1,19,244	93,441	25,803
4	ASSAM	5,72,064	4,93,877	78,187
5	BIHAR	7,06,557	5,39,176	1,67,381
6	CHANDIGARH	2,06,642	1,91,668	14,974
7	CHHATTISGARH	10,21,077	8,65,897	1,55,180
8	DADRA & NAGAR HAVELI	63,779	60,588	3,191
9	DAMAN & DIU	73,782	70,592	3,190
10	GOA	1,15,870	99,913	15,957
11	GUJARAT	30,41,779	26,85,190	3,56,589
12	HARYANA	13,33,644	11,47,374	1,86,270
13	HIMACHAL PRADESH	2,96,268	2,36,454	59,814
14	JAMMU & KASHMIR	1,22,587	1,00,680	21,907
15	JHARKHAND	8,24,259	7,24,065	1,00,194
16	KARNATAKA	28,87,216	23,67,901	5,19,315
17	KERALA	7,13,934	5,59,263	1,54,671
18	LAKSHADWEEP	6,135	5,375	760
19	MADHYA PRADESH	24,15,635	20,27,884	3,87,751
20	MAHARASHTRA	79,01,819	68,19,915	10,81,904
21	MANIPUR	22,750	16,441	6,309
22	MEGHALAYA	52,797	38,769	14,028
23	MIZORAM	62,828	45,688	17,140
24	NAGALAND	1,10,779	88,923	21,856
25	NCT OF DELHI	20,29,489	18,98,884	1,30,605
26	ODISHA	8,51,363	7,14,603	1,36,760
27	PUDUCHERRY	70,721	60,366	10,355
28	PUNJAB	12,44,056	10,60,487	1,83,569
29	RAJASTHAN	17,09,602	14,45,847	2,63,755
30	SIKKIM	46,554	38,703	7,851
31	TAMIL NADU	34,87,974	27,74,086	7,13,888
32	TRIPURA	92,097	74,594	17,503
33	UTTAR PRADESH	31,56,125	25,91,421	5,64,704
34	UTTARAKHAND	6,17,094	5,50,465	66,629
35	WEST BENGAL	16,56,952	14,29,130	2,27,822
	<b>INDIA</b>	<b>4,14,22,917</b>	<b>3,50,16,700</b>	<b>64,06,217</b>

**\* Data as per Census 2011**

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