

of Dwarka, is carried out to ascertain the cause of submergence of the legendary city of Lord Krishna in the sea;

(b) if so, the broad features of the study;

(c) the findings arrived at so far;

(d) whether any historical and archaeological experts apart from marine experts have been associated with the study; if so, the details thereof; and

(e) the estimated cost involved in the study and the time it is likely to take to complete it?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE PRIME MINISTER'S OFFICE (SHRI KAMAL MORARKA): (a) No Sir, no systematic exploration in this regard has so far been undertaken.

(b) to (e). Do not arise.

[Translation]

#### Education and Illiterate Unemployed Persons

370. SHRI RAMESHWAR PRASAD: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) the State-wise, number and per-

centage of educated and illiterate un-employed persons in the country in the year 1961, 1971, 1981, 1985, and 1990; and

(b) the steps taken so far by the Government to solve the unemployment problem and the various schemes contemplated by the Government in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE PRIME MINISTER'S OFFICE (SHRI KAMAL MORARKA): (a) According to the live register of employment exchanges (which is the source that provides broadly comparable data for the years under reference), State-wise number and percentages of educated and uneducated (including illiterate) jobseekers at the end of 1961, 1971, 1981, 1985 and 1989 are as in the attached Statement. All the jobseekers on the live register are not necessarily unemployed. For instance, according to a survey conducted by the Ministry of labour during 1988, about 56% of all the registrants were actually unemployed.

(b) Besides sectoral development programmes, a number of special employment schemes like JRY, IRDP, TRYSEM, NRY, SEPUP and SEEUY are in operation. The Approach Paper to the Eighth Plan proposes employment as the central thrust of the Plan. Details of the strategy and programmes for employment would be incorporated in the Eighth Plan document.

## STATEMENT

Number of job-seekers on the live register of Employment Exchanges at the end of 1961, 1971, 1981, 1985 and 1989

Sl. No.	States	(In thousands)											
		1961		1971		1981		1985		1989 (P)			
		Below Matric (including illiterates)	Educated (Matric and above)	Below Matric (including illiterates)	Educated (Matric and above)	Below Matric (including illiterates)	Educated (Matric and above)	Below Matric (including illiterates)	Educated (Matric and above)	Below Matric (including illiterates)	Educated (Matric and above)	Below Matric (including illiterates)	Educated (Matric and above)
		3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12		
1.	Andhra Pradesh	73.7	33.1 (31.0)	166.8	169.3 (50.4)	838.7	701.7 (45.6)	1190.3	1138.5 (49.9)	1235.3	1583.6 (56.2)		
2.	Arunachal Pradesh	.	.	.	.	@	@	@	@	@	4.7	0.4 (7.8)	
3.	Assam	23.4	8.1 (25.7)	49.2	29.7 (37.6)	216.7	154.7 (41.7)	309.9	293.5 (48.6)	453.3	520.4 (53.4)		
4.	Bihar	102.7	29.2 (22.1)	253.7	165.9 (39.5)	1185.0	1234.7 (51.0)	1186.4	1363.1 (53.5)	1186.1	1862.7 (61.1)		

(In thousands)

Sl. No.	States	1961		1971		1981		1985		1989 (P)	
		Below Matric (including illiterates)	Educated (Matric and above)	Below Matric (including illiterates)	Educated (Matric and above)	Below Matric (including illiterates)	Educated (Matric and above)	Below Matric (including illiterates)	Educated (Matric and above)	Below Matric (including illiterates)	Educated (Matric and above)
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
5.	Goa	.	.	4.3	6.3 (59.4)	13.1	18.7 (58.8)	21.6	28.9 (57.2)	22.2	56.5 (71.8)
6.	Gujarat	41.3	22.1 (34.9)	88.2	82.8 (48.4)	224.8	308.5 (57.8)	290.6	439.2 (60.2)	368.5	570.5 (60.8)
7.	Haryana	**	**	52.5	46.8 (47.1)	191.6	183.4 (48.9)	255.9	223.3 (46.6)	273.3	300.7 (52.4)
8.	Himachal Pradesh	4.4	1.3 (22.8)	31.9	13.4 (29.6)	73.9	85.4 (53.6)	128.8	185.6 (59.0)	141.9	276.6 (66.1)
9.	J & K	3.4	1.5 (30.6)	15.8	9.6 (37.8)	34.5	21.5 (38.4)	41.6	32.3 (43.7)	74.2	51.2 (40.8)

(In thousands)

Sl. States No.	1961		1971		1981		1985		1989 (P)	
	Below Matric (including illiterates)	Educated (Matric and above)	Below Matric (including illiterates)	Educated (Matric and above)	Below Matric (including illiterates)	Educated (Matric and above)	Below Matric (including illiterates)	Educated (Matric and above)	Below Matric (including illiterates)	Educated (Matric and above)
	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
10. Karnataka	45.7	37.4 (45.0)	130.2	139.9 (51.8)	244.7	384.7 (61.1)	379.5	547.3 (59.1)	474.8	767.9 (61.8)
11. Kerala	72.8	68.0 (48.3)	156.2	201.2 (56.3)	1006.5	841.5 (45.5)	1195.5	1377.9 (53.5)	1250.1	1850.0 (59.7)
12. Madhya Pradesh	57.9	17.4 (23.1)	178.4	137.2 (43.5)	461.2	421.0 (47.7)	682.6	746.4 (52.2)	730.6	1248.0 (63.1)
13. Maharashtra	116.2	55.7 (32.4)	230.7	199.3 (46.3)	703.7	691.1 (49.5)	1027.0	1396.8 (57.6)	1054.8	1885.8 (64.1)
14. Manipur	8.2	2.0 (19.6)	19.7	17.9 (47.6)	67.5	65.1 (49.1)	102.4	117.0 (53.3)	108.2	143.8 (57.1)

(in thousands)

Sl. States No.	1961		1971		1981		1985		1989 (P)	
	Below Matric (including illiterates)	Educated (Matric above)	Below Matric (including illiterates)	Educated (Matric above)	Below Matric (including illiterates)	Educated (Matric above)	Below Matric (including illiterates)	Below Matric (including illiterates)	Educated (Matric above)	Educated (Matric above)
	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
15. Meghalaya	..	..	..	..	6.0	4.4 (42.3)	9.5	7.8 (45.1)	12.7	10.8 (46.0)
16. Mizoram	..	..	..	..	12.4	3.2 (20.5)	14.6	9.0 (38.1)	31.0	11.0 (26.2)
17. Nagaland	..	..	..	..	6.6	1.9 (22.4)	12.1	4.8 (28.4)	11.6	15.4 (57.0)
18. Orissa	60.2	8.7 (12.6)	128.3	56.8 (30.7)	286.8	201.3 (41.2)	392.3	328.2 (45.6)	363.1	481.4 (57.0)
19. Punjab	39.4	28.4 (41.9)	57.6	61.2 (51.5)	231.7	254.3 (52.3)	333.3	299.4 (47.3)	268.5	315.8 (54.0)

(In thousands)

Sl. States No.	1961		1971		1981		1985		1989 (P)	
	Below Matric (including and above) illiterates)	Educated (Matric and above)	Below Matric (including and above) illiterates)	Educated (Matric and above)	Below Matric (including and above) illiterates)	Educated (Matric and above)	Below Matric (including and above) illiterates)	Educated (Matric and above)	Below Matric (including and above) illiterates)	Educated (Matric and above)
	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
20. Rajasthan	24.1	20.4 (45.8)	75.2	64.7 (46.2)	205.3	190.9 (48.2)	300.9	376.9 (55.6)	381.7	519.1 (57.6)
21. Sikkim*										
22. Tamil Nadu	110.6	41.2 (27.1)	268.1	191.6 (41.7)	640.4	615.5 (49.0)	1053.1	1026.0 (49.3)	1463.0	1527.6 (51.1)
23. Tripura	3.5	9.0 (20.5)	14.8	15.1 (50.5)	46.1	36.6 (44.3)	55.6	44.5 (44.5)	101.2	46.7 (31.6)
24. Uttar Pradesh	179.7	101.4 (36.1)	300.0	231.7 (43.6)	608.5	885.3 (59.3)	1049.3	1515.0 (59.1)	1094.3	2018.8 (64.8)
25. West Bengal	242.8	80.2 (24.8)	499.5	368.7 (42.5)	1398.6	1411.3 (50.2)	2024.8	1935.4 (48.9)	2173.8	2350.2 (51.9)



(In thousands)

Sl. States No.	1961		1971		1981		1985		1989 (P)	
	Below Matric (including illiterates)	Educated (Matric and above)	Below Matric (including illiterates)	Educated (Matric and above)	Below Matric (including illiterates)	Educated (Matric and above)	Below Matric (including illiterates)	Educated (Matric and above)	Below Matric (including illiterates)	Educated (Matric and above)
1	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
6. Lakshadweep	*	*	1.0	0.4 (28.6)	3.9	0.9 (18.8)	4.4	1.7 (27.9)	3.3	1.7 (34.0)
7. Pondicherry	1.7	0.3 (15.0)	5.7	3.7 (39.4)	17.9	25.1 (58.4)	34.4	41.2 (54.5)	50.1	62.6 (55.5)
Total:	1242.5	590.2 (32.2)	2804.4	2295.6 (45.0)	8819.9	9018.2 (50.6)	12294.4	13975.5 (53.2)	13639.9	19136.3 (58.4)

Note:— 1. \* No Employment Exchange is functioning.

2. Figures may not add up to total due to rounding off.

3. \*\* These States/UTs were not separately in existence during the period.

4. @ Data are not being maintained.

5. Figures in brackets stand for percentage of educated job-seekers to total job-seekers. The educated and the uneducated and up to the total job-seekers.

6. All job-seekers on the live register are not necessarily unemployed.

P-Provisional figure.