

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT  
LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 995  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 29.07.2024**

**DATA OF ENROLLMENT IN EPF SCHEMES**

**995. DR. K SUDHAKAR:**

**Will the Minister of LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether the Government has any data regarding the total number of new enrolments made under EPF schemes across the country;**
- (b) if so, the details thereof, State-wise especially in the State of Karnataka;**
- (c) whether EPF pensioners are getting inflation linked pension rise and if so, the details thereof;**
- (d) whether any cases have been registered against non-receipt of EPF pensions for Chikkaballapur Lok Sabha constituency in the State of Karnataka and if so, the details thereof; and**
- (e) whether any labour disputes are pending with regard to workers of Chikkaballapur Lok Sabha constituency and if so, the details thereof and steps taken to expedite the pending labour disputes?**

**ANSWER**

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

**(a): The total number of new subscribers under EPF Scheme across the country was 1,09,93,119 as on 15.05.2024 for Financial Year 2023-24.**

**(b): Details of State-wise New EPF Subscribers as on 15.05.2024 for Financial Year 2023-24 are attached at Annexure I.**

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**(c): EPS 95 is a Defined Contribution Defined benefit Scheme. Demand to link monthly pension of workers under Employees' Pension Scheme, 1995 (EPS-1995) with cost of living index was considered by the High Empowered Monitoring Committee constituted by the Central Government in the year 2018 for complete evaluation and review of EPS-1995 and it was not found feasible for a funded scheme like EPS-1995. Therefore, the value of benefits cannot be left open ended by linking with inflation, which is variable.**

**(d): No case is registered, at Regional Office, EPFO, Yelahanka, against non-receipt of EPF Pensions for Chikkaballapur Lok Sabha Constituency in the State of Karnataka.**

**(e): No labour disputes of workers are pending in Chikkaballapur Lok Sabha Constituency in Central Sphere.**

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Annexure referred to in reply to part (b) of Lok Sabha Unstarred Question No. 995 to be answered on 29.07.2024 regarding "Data of Enrollment In EPF Schemes".

Data as on 15.05.2024 for Financial Year 2023-24	
State/UT	Number of New EPF Subscribers
ANDAMAN AND NICOBAR ISLANDS	2,193
ANDHRA PRADESH	252,688
ARUNACHAL PRADESH	2,645
ASSAM	69,519
BIHAR	124,575
CHANDIGARH	112,906
CHATTISGARH	110,816
DELHI	776,891
GOA	49,951
GUJARAT	881,243
HARYANA	744,828
HIMACHAL PRADESH	82,402
JAMMU AND KASHMIR	36,718
JHARKHAND	103,266
<b>KARNATAKA</b>	<b>1,195,998</b>
KERALA	196,876
LADAKH	576
MADHYA PRADESH	272,828
MAHARASHTRA	2,116,863
MANIPUR	1,956
MEGHALAYA	5,407
MIZORAM	690
NAGALAND	1,602
ORISSA	171,312
PUNJAB	139,238
RAJASTHAN	383,731
TAMIL NADU	1,191,562
TELANGANA	707,854
TRIPURA	4,165
UTTAR PRADESH	629,541
UTTARAKHAND	154,129
WEST BENGAL	468,150
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>10,993,119</b>

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