

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY
LOK SABHA**

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RETRENCHMENT IN EXPORT SECTOR

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Will the Minister of COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of retrenchment of workers in various export sectors during the last-three years;
- (b) whether there is a possibility of heavy retrenchment of workers in the export sector;
- (c) if so, the details thereof and the specific sectors likely to be affected from this retrenchment;
- (d) whether the Government proposes to prepare any action plan to rehabilitate the workers and provide additional facilities to the workers in the export sector;
- (e) if so, the details thereof; and
- (f) the future action plan prepared for the Twelfth Five Year Plan?

Answer

MINISTER OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY (SHRI ANAND SHARMA)

(a) to (c) The Quarterly Employment Surveys conducted by the Labour Bureau to assess the impact of economic slowdown on employment in India during the period January 2009 to December 2011 indicate that there is no heavy retrenchment of workers in these sectors, rather it has seen an overall increase in employment. The sector-wise changes in employment in exporting units during the last three years is given in the Annexure.

(d) to (f) Does not arise.