

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
STATISTICS AND PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:888  
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SURVEY ON EMPLOYMENT  
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**Will the Minister of STATISTICS AND PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION be pleased to state:**

- (a) Whether as per the Survey Report of National Sample Survey Organisation (NSSO) released in June, 2013, the employment in the country has dipped from 36.5 per cent in 2009 to 35.4 per cent in 2011-12;
- (b) if so, the details thereof, State/UT-wise;
- (c) whether unemployment rate has also risen from 2.5 per cent to 2.7 per cent during the said period; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof ?

**Answer**

MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE), MINISTRY OF STATISTICS & PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION AND  
MINISTRY OF CHEMICALS & FERTILIZERS (SHRI SRIKANT KUMAR JENA)

(a): Yes, Sir.

(b): State-wise details of Employment rates on Usual Principal status basis (based on principal activity) during 2009-10 and 2011-12 are given in Annex I.

(c): Yes, Sir.

(d): The details of unemployment rate (in percentage) for different categories at All India Level on Usual Principal Activity status basis during 2009-10 and 2011-12 are given below:

Categories	2009-10	2011-12
Rural Male	1.9	2.1
Rural Female	2.4	2.9
Rural Person (Male+Female)	2.1	2.3
Urban Male	3.0	3.2
Urban Female	7.0	6.6
Urban Person (Male+ Female)	3.7	3.8
Male (Rural+Urban)	2.2	2.4
Female (Rural+Urban)	3.3	3.7
Person (Rural+Urban)	2.5	2.7