



ShramShakti Portal

Why in News

Recently, the **Ministry of Tribal Affairs** has launched “**ShramShakti**”- a **National Migration Support Portal**, to smooth the formulation of state and national level programs for migrant workers.

- A training manual “**ShramSaathi**” was also launched for migrant workers.

Key Points

▪ About the Portal:

- It has been launched to **collect data related to tribal migrant workers** and link them with the existing welfare schemes.

▪ Objectives of ShramShakti Portal:

◦ To address the data gap:

- Various data will be recorded via Shram Shakti include demographic profile, livelihood options, skill mapping and migration pattern.
- It will help in empowering the workers who generally migrate in search of employment and income generation.

◦ To help in formulation of strategies:

- It would help the national and state governments in **formulation of effective strategies** and policy decisions for welfare of migrant workers at both source and destination states.

◦ To address the issues various related migrants:

- Trafficking,
- Wages harassment issues,
- Occupational hazards at the workplace, etc.

◦ Linking with other schemes:

- This portal will link the migrant population with the existing Welfare Schemes under **Atmanirbhar Bharat**.

▪ Recent Government Initiatives to Help Migrant Workers:

◦ ASEEM Portal:

- The Ministry of Skill Development and Entrepreneurship (MSDE) launched '**AtmaNirbhar Skilled Employee Employer Mapping (ASEEM)**' portal to help skilled people find sustainable livelihood opportunities.
- Database of labour migrants in Indian states and overseas citizens, who returned to India under the **Vande Bharat Mission** and filled **SWADES Skill Card**, has been integrated with the ASEEM portal.

◦ NMIS Dashboard:

- The **National Disaster Management Authority (NDMA)** has developed an online dashboard called '[National Migrant Information System \(NMIS\)](#)'.
- It would **maintain a central repository of migrant workers** and help in **speedy inter-state communication** to facilitate the smooth movement of migrant workers to their native places.
- **Amalgamation of Labour Laws into Codes:**
 - Recently, numerous labour laws have been amalgamated into four labour codes namely [Code on Wages Act 2019](#), [Industrial Relations Code 2020](#), [Code on Social Security 2020](#), and [Occupational Safety, Health and Working Conditions Code 2020](#).
 - They are also aimed at facilitating industrialisation throughout the nation and thus checking distress labour migration ultimately.
- **Initiatives for Tribal Welfare:**
 - **Pradhan Manti Van Dhan Yojana (PMVDY):**
 - It is a **market-linked** tribal entrepreneurship development program for **forming clusters of tribal SHGs** and strengthening them into **Tribal Producer Companies**.
 - It also aims to **set-up tribal community owned Minor Forest Produce (MFP)-centric multi-purpose Van Dhan Vikas Kendras** (the Kendra) in predominantly tribal districts.
 - **Eklavya Model Residential Schools (EMRSs):**
 - **EMRS** started in the year 1997-98 to impart **quality middle and high-level education** to ST children in remote areas and enable them to have access to the best opportunities in education at par with the non ST population.
 - These are being set up by grants provided under **Article 275(1) of the Constitution**.
 - **The Tribal Cooperative Marketing Development Federation of India (TRIFED):**
 - **TRIFED** came into existence in **1987**. It is a national-level apex organization functioning under the administrative control of the Ministry of Tribal Affairs.
 - TRIFED has its key objectives of promoting tribal art & craft, hand looms and set-up tribal community owned Minor Forest Produce (MFP)-centric multi-purpose Van Dhan Vikas Kendras.

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