



## Fake MGNREGS Job Cards Deleted

Over **10 lakh job cards** have been deleted with the reason **'fake job card'** under the [Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee Scheme \(MGNREGS\)](#) in the last two financial years **2021-22** and **2022-23**.

- As per **Section 25** of the **Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee Act, 2005**, whoever contravenes the provisions of this Act shall on conviction be liable to a fine which may extend to **one thousand rupees**.
- The highest number of **fake job cards** have been deleted in **Uttar Pradesh and followed by Madhya Pradesh** in **2021-22**, and **2022-23**.
- MGNREGS was launched by the **Ministry of Rural Development** to guarantee **100 days** of employment in every financial year to adult members of any rural household willing to do public work-related unskilled manual work.

**Read More:** [Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee Act \(MGNREGA\)](#)

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