

State-level Workshop on Unified Worker Registration Portal by Labour Department, Chhattisgarh

State-level workshop was organized by Labour Department, Govt. of Chhattisgarh in HOD Building, Capital Complex, Nava Raipur on 18th Aug 2021 with guidance and technical support from NIC Chhattisgarh for smooth implementation of new IT initiatives by the department.



The workshop was chaired by Shri Alex Paul Menon (IAS), Labour Commissioner. Programme was attended by Labour Officers and Industrial Health & Safety Officers from the 27 districts. Other dignitaries present on the occasion include Additional Labour Commissioner, Chairman - BOC Board, Chairman - Labour welfare board and senior officers of the department.



After a brief introduction on the Unified Worker Registration portal, step by step workflow of the entire module was presented and online demonstration was given to the officials.

Labour Commissioner highlighted salient features of the newly launched Unified online registration portal. He discussed the issues faced by district officials and asked for wide spread usage of this registration portal in generating online labour profiles / cards.

The screenshot displays the 'Unified Registration Form' interface. At the top, there is a blue header with the Chhattisgarh Government Labour Department logo and navigation links. Below the header, the form is divided into several sections:

- Are you Registered Establishment:** A dropdown menu with 'Yes' selected.
- Select Acts under which you are registered (Provide Registration/Licence No):** A grid of checkboxes for various acts, including Building and Other Construction Workers Welfare Act 1946, Factory Act 1946, Motor Transport Act 1961, Principal Employer Under Contract Labour Act 1970, Bill and Cage Act, Labour Welfare Act 1982, Shops and Establishment Act, and Audit Visual.
- Apply Registration For:** A grid of checkboxes for the same acts as above.
- Establishment Description:** Fields for Name of Establishment, Ownership Type, Sector, and Activity as per NIC.
- Address of Establishment:** A text input field.

Strategies for rollout of other new initiatives were discussed, which include:

1. Maintaining Migration register through door-to-door survey and village camps using the newly launched mobile app named "Shramev Jayate", which has the offline data capturing facilities.
2. Augmenting new features in the Unified Cess collection portal for BOC Board with the target of increased revenue collection for the department so that more and more welfare schemes for workers may be launched with increased efficacy.
3. Bonded labour and child labour survey at the district levels with the aid of child welfare committees and maintenance of their online records.

From NIC State Centre, Shri Satyesh K. Sharma, TD & DGM NICS, Shri Saurabh Dubey, Scientist-C, Mrs. Jyoti Sharma, Scientist 'B' and the NICS development team presented the features of the portal to the participants.