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**श्रम आयुक्त एवं डीईटी का कार्यालय**  
**Office of the Labour Commissioner & DET**  
**अण्डमान तथा निकोबार प्रशासन**  
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Dated 07<sup>th</sup> April 2025

To

The Chief Editor  
Daily Telegram  
Port Blair

Sub: Request for publication of Press Release -reg.

Sir/Madam,

I am directed to request to publish the news as enclosed herewith in the Daily Telegrams Newspaper positively on 08<sup>th</sup> April 2025 without fail.

Encl: A/a

Yours faithfully,



**Asst. Labour Commissioner (HQ)**

## **PRESS RELEASE**

### **LABOUR DEPARTMENT URGES PLATFORM AND GIG WORKERS TO REGISTER ON E-SHRAM PORTAL**

The Ministry of Labour & Employment, Government of India, New Delhi, has proposed a nationwide campaign from 7th to 17th April 2023 to organize ‘Special Registration Camps’ for the registration of Platform and Gig Workers. The term “Platform Worker” refers to an individual engaged in a work arrangement outside of the traditional employer-employee relationship, wherein organizations or individuals use an online platform to access other organizations or individuals to solve specific problems or provide specific services, or any other activity as notified by the Central Government, in exchange for payment. Similarly, a “Gig Worker” is a person who performs work or participates in a work arrangement and earns from such activities, also outside of the traditional employer-employee framework.

This initiative aligns with the Union Budget 2025-26, which announced the registration of platform & gig workers on the e-Shram portal, issuance of identity cards, and the extension of health benefits under Ayushman Bharat - Pradhan Mantri Jan Arogya Yojana (AB-PMJAY).

As part of this campaign, the Labour Department, A&N Administration, urges all Platform and Gig Workers in the Andaman & Nicobar Islands to register themselves on the e-Shram portal via the following link: <https://register.eshram.gov.in/#/user/platform-worker-registration>. The Workers who are unable to register themselves online may visit the Labour Department, Sri Vijaya Puram, on any working day for assistance with registration. For clarifications, queries, or registration support, please contact: 03192-230157.