

PREFACE

In accordance with the recommendations of the joint conference of the central and state statisticians, the data relating to volume of Government Employees in the state is being collected regularly on annual basis. It includes the number of all the Punjab Govt. employees/Semi-Govt. and Aided Institution's employees working in various Govt. offices, Boards, Corporations and Local Bodies etc.

In the report, the data of Govt. employees have been given into different categories such as group A,B.C & D, work charged, contingency paid and on contract basis, department-wise and district-wise, according to pay scales as well as males/females. The number of Govt .employees/Semi-Govt. and Aided Institution's employees belong to Scheduled castes, Backward classes, Ex-serviceman, Wards of Freedom Fighter, Handicapped, Terrorist affected and employed on Compassionate ground in position as on 31st March has also been given separately.

As on 31st March 2005 the total number of Govt. employees was 357290, Semi-Govt. Employees was 134156 and an Aided Institutions employee was 11808. Out of total 503254 Govt./Semi-Govt. and Aided Institutions employees there were 112323 (22.32 percent) female employees.

Number of Punjab Govt. employees has increased from 147275 on 31st March 1967 to 357290 as on 31st March 05 i.e. an increase of about 142.60 percent over the base year. However, the number of these employees has declined by 14491 as compared to 31st March, 2004.

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