



Press Release

Central Agency for Public Mobilization And Statistics

On the occasion of the world day for safety and health at work 59.7 % of work injuries was in manufacturing activities

Central Agency for Public Mobilization and Statistics, issues today 27 / 4/2017 a press release on the occasion of the world day for safety and health at work which is celebrated on 28 April annually. such day has been associated with the world trade union movements for commemoration of the victims of occupational accidents and diseases . It was adopted by the ILO since 2003, in commemoration of workers who lost their lives as a result of accidents and those who were injured in occupational accidents . As a confirmation of the importance of taking the necessary procedures to prevent accidents , injuries and occupational diseases to provide a healthy working environment. This year celebration is under the theme (protection of labour rights and promotion of safe and secure working environments for all workers) .

The most important statistical indicators are :

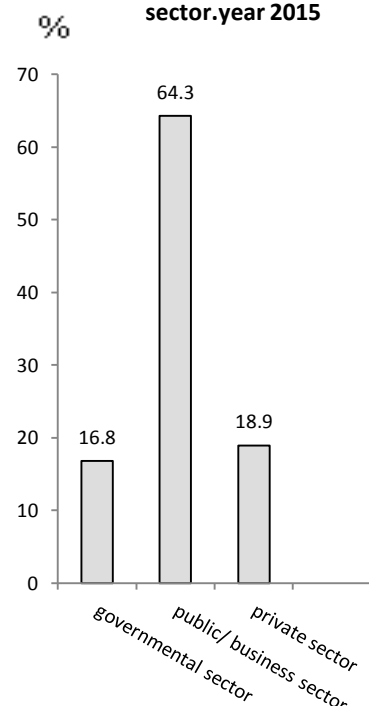
- Total number of work injury cases reached 15911 cases in 2015 compared to 16902 cases in 2014, with a decrease of 5.9 % .

- The highest percentage of work injury cases was in public / business sector reaching 64.3 % followed by both of private sector 18.9% and governmental sector 16.8% in 2015 .

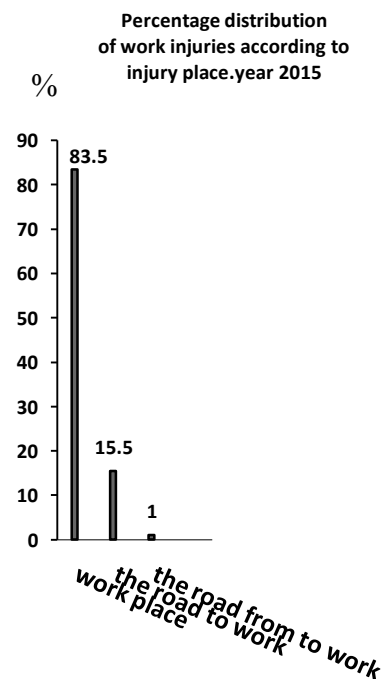
- Number of work injury cases in governmental sector reached 2680 cases in 2015 compared to 2283 cases in 2014, an increase of 17.4 % .

- Number of work injury cases in Public / business sector reached 10224 cases in 2015 compared to 11280 cases in 2014, with a decrease of 9.4 % .

Percentage distribution of work injuries according to sector.year 2015



- Number of work injury cases in the private sector (50 workers and more) reached 3007 cases in 2015 compared to 3339 cases in 2014, a decrease of 9.9 % ,this is due to an increased awareness and following the occupational safety and health guidance among workers .
- Total number of work injury cases for males reached 14059 cases by 88.4 % compared to 1852 cases for females by 11.6 % of the total number of cases in 2015 .
- Manufacturing activities have the largest share of work injury cases as it reached 59.7 % , followed by transportation and storage activities by 17.1 % of the total number of cases in 2015.
- The highest percentage of work injuries is in plant, machine operators and assemblers reached 29.8 % , followed by technicians and associate professionals by 28.2 % of the total number of cases in 2015 .
- The percentage of work injuries occurred at work place and road while performing work outside workplace represents 83.5 % of the total number of cases in 2015 .
- The percentage of work injuries occurred in the road to work represents 15.5 % of the total number of cases in 2015 .
- The percentage of work injuries occurred in road from work represents 1 % of the total number of cases in 2015.



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