

# Now, job search a click away

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**LUCKNOW:** Now job search for aspirants will just be a click away. Reason: the state government's labour and employment department is set take recruitment facilitation process online. A website-[www.sewayojan.org](http://www.sewayojan.org)-will be launched on January 1, 2015 to make it easy for candidates to search for jobs digitally.

Officials of the department say the portal would be a virtual job market, very similar to the job portals managed by private groups. The registration to the portal would be free for all individuals.

PK Pundir, regional employment officer said, "There would be a large number of groups connected to the portal. Members who register on the site would get noti-

fications regarding job vacancies from various groups."

The state's employment exchanges have nearly 70 lakh registered unemployed and the officials expect the numbers to rise further when the portal is launched. "Many people are net savvy and don't want to visit the employment exchange in person. In such cases, the portal would allow many more people to connect with the companies of their choice," said an official at the regional employment office.

In addition to bringing the employers and aspiring employees together, another benefit of the portal would be compulsory notification by recruiting groups. "As per norms, all companies making recruitments should send notices to employment exchanges. But that doesn't happen in every case. Now, with employment exchange going online, we would be able to enforce the policy on all companies who get associated to the portal," said an official.

This year, the Lucknow employment exchange has facilitated nearly 1500 recruitments so far.