



# STATISTICAL BULLETIN

## EMPLOYMENT AND EARNINGS STATISTICS NOVEMBER 2009

1. An analysis of employment by sector for the period of November 2009 is presented in Table 1.0 with comparable figures for November 2008.
2. During the month of November 2009 the number of formal employees for all sectors was 43199. This depicts an increase of 1.4% (or, 587 more employees) compared to the same period of 2008.
3. During the month of November 2009, 67.1% of employees were engaged in the Private Sector, 21.5% in the Government Sector and 11.4% in the Parastatal Sector.

**Table 1.0**

Number of Formal Employees by Sector, November 2009				
SECTOR	PRIVATE	PARASTATAL	GOVERNMENT	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES
November 2008	26377	5415	10820	42612
November 2009	28976	4939	9284	43199

4. The number of employees in formal employment for November 2009 by Industry, Sex and Local versus Expatriate for the Government and Parastatal Sectors is shown in Table 1.1.
5. An analysis of the figures reveal that in the Government Sector, expatriates makes up 2.9%.
6. A Gender analysis of employees in the Government Sector shows that of the total Male employees, 4.7% are expatriates and of the Female employees, 1.9 % are expatriates.
7. In the Parastatal Sector expatriates make up 1.9 % of the workforce.

8. Of the total Males in the Parastatal Sector, expatriates make up 3.0% whereas expatriate females make up only 0.3% of the total female employees in that Sector.

**Table 1.1**

Number of Formal Employees by Gender, Local & Expatriate, November 2009								
	GOVERNMENT				PARASTATAL			
	MALES		FEMALES		MALES		FEMALES	
	Local	Expatriate	Local	Expatriate	Local	Expatriate	Local	Expatriate
November 2008	3868	189	6641	122	3028	218	2138	31
November 2009	3264	161	5748	111	2816	88	2028	7

9. An analysis of average earnings by industry and by sector for the month of November 2009 is presented in Table 2.0 below. Comparing the month of November 2009 with the same month of November 2008, an increase of 11.2% was recorded in the Average earnings for All Sectors. Average earnings for the month of November 2009 were SR5753 for the Private Sector, SR5358 for the Government Sector and SR7238 for the Parastatal Sector.

**Table 2.0**

Average Earnings by Sector, November 2009				
	PRIVATE	PARASTATAL	GOVERNMENT	AVERAGE EARNINGS (SR)
November 2008	5058	6497	5084	5247
November 2009	5753	7238	5358	5837