Information on Unemployment in the Czech Republic by June 30, 2020

By June 30, 2020 job offices registered altogether 269,637 job seekers. That is by 3,493 more than at the end of May. The number of job seekers increased by 73,914 persons compared with the same period of the preceding year. The number of available job seekers in age 15 to 64 years (job seekers currently available for work) was 251,460.

In the course of job offices registered altogether 38,504 newcomers. That is by 119 job seekers more than in the preceding month and by 6,818 newly registered job seekers more than in June of the preceding year.

In June, job offices registration was terminated with 35,011 job seekers. New jobs have been taken up by 28,608 persons. In the course of the above-said month, job offices excluded 6,403 job seekers due to other reasons.

A monthly increase of unemployed was registered **by 40 districts** – relatively the greatest increase was monitored in districts Mladá Boleslav (8.0 %), Praha (7.8 %), Karlovy Vary (7.3 %), Teplice (5.0 %), Ústí nad Labem (4.7 %), Praha-východ (4.4 %), Praha-západ and Česká Lípa (both 4.3 %) and Uherské Hradiště (3.8 %). A monthly decrease of unemployed was registered **by 37 districts** – relatively the greatest decrease was monitored in districts Břeclav (8.8 %), Český Krumlov (8.5 %), Znojmo (7.3 %), Klatovy (6.5 %), Jindřichův Hradec (5.0 %), Pelhřimov (4.5 %) and Hodonín (4.2 %).

By June 30, 2020, 8,917 school leavers with all levels of education and juveniles were registered. Thus they share in the total unemployment by 3.3 % (May 2020 - 3.8 %, June 2019 - 3.6 %).

At the end of June, job offices registered 135,599 female job seekers, that is 50.3 % of the unemployed in total, and 36,736 persons with reduced working capacity, that is 13.6 % of the unemployed in total.

In June 2020, job offices paid off unemployment benefits 93,429 job seekers, that is 34.6 % of all job seekers under registration (May 2020 – 36.4 %, June 2019 – 34.7 %).

By June 30, 2020, there were 10,392 jobseekers supported through financial benefits of active employment policy.

By June 30, 2020, the share of unemployed was 3.7 % (May 2020 – 3.6 %, June 2019 – 2.6 %), time series - <u>https://www.mpsv.cz/web/cz/casove-rady-mn-a-pno</u>. Share of unemployed equal or higher than average of the Czech Republic was shown in 29 districts, the Karviná (8.1 %), Ostrava-město (6.6 %), Chomutov (6.4 %), Most (6.3 %), Bruntál (6.0 %), Sokolov (5.8 %), Znojmo (5.6 %) and Louny (5.4 %). The lowest share of unemployed was in districts of Rychnov nad Kněžnou (1.8 %), Praha–východ (2.0 %), Pelhřimov and Jindřichův Hradec (both 2.2 %), Benešov, Mladá Boleslav and Praha-západ (all 2.3 %). Share of unemployed - men was 3.6 % and share of unemployed - women was 3.8 %.

By June 30, 2020, job offices registered altogether 334,904 vacancies. That is by 3,854 vacancies more than in the preceding month and by 7,606 vacancies less than in the same period of the preceding year. At present, there have been 0.8 job seekers for one vacancy at average, the highest amount being in districts of Karviná (8.2), Sokolov (5.3), Děčín (3.9), Bruntál (3.4), Jeseník (3.3), Mot (3.2) and Ústí nad Labem (3.1). In this monitored period, there

were registered by job offices 11,632 vacancies for persons with reduced working capacity that is 3.1 seekers per vacancy. In the case of school leavers and juveniles, there were registered altogether 62,217 vacancies, that is 0.1 seekers per vacancy.

Unemployment rate (EUROSTAT – ILO, NSA data) was 2.5 % in May 2020.