

Granting the remote voting for circular migrants would ensure that the passive disenfranchisement by the Government of India. is prevented. Elaborate

Answer

Acc to World Bank data total approx 5-24 Million people migrate from India to another Country. and according to Census 2011 total of 13.2 % of India's population are migrants from another State.

- The people migrate from their own home Constituency to another constituency to fulfill their basic needs and enjoy facilities for better life
- They also enjoy the Fundamental Right provided by Constitution of India under Article 19 (d) (Freedom to move freely throughout the territory of India) and (e) (to reside and settle in any part of the territory of India)

Disenfranch

★ Disenfranchisement?

means: The state of being deprived of a right or privilege.

→ In this case they are unable to cast Vote due to:

- during pandemic
 - due to lack of holiday (from org. or institution)
 - high financial expenditure
 - distance of travel & days req.
 - frequency of election in India
 - time consumed for voting.
- Unable to cast Vote or unable to enjoy franchise

and many other reasons.

→ helps to ~~enjoy~~

→ all these factors makes people unable to enjoy their right (for both Inter-state and International Migrants)

* Remote Voting :-

→ can act as a solution for all the above mentioned problem.

→ The ~~ECI~~ Election Commission of India has decided to make available such system

→ Similar process is used ~~by~~ by many developed nation like USA, France, etc

→ System help the people to enjoy their rights ~~to~~ to vote from any part of nation.

→ also help to enjoy vote during pandemic.

* Concern on some point / areas :-

→ there need to have a secure and safe portal

→ for verification can use biometric system (available in mobile phones) and Government authorised Identity card

→ the portal need to be safe and hack free and should be ~~not~~ shared through mail or postal ballot method in order to secure

A Way Forward :-

→ The ~~et~~ ~~electronic~~ Internet based or remote voting system can act as a very good method to enjoy right. ~~with proper~~ It can be implemented and used efficiently with proper and required measures ~~by depending upon process~~