

Table 4.6: Distribution of employed persons in the *damaged** housing units* of the affected DS divisions* by the economic activity and ability to continue the same at the time of the Tsunami Census.

: Batticaloe District

Type of economic activity engaged before Tsunami	Ability of continuing the same economic activity at the time of Tsunami census				
	Yes	No	NS ^a	Total	
	%	%	%	No	%
Agriculture/Farming	32.8	65.3	1.9	1847	100.0
Fishing (for sale)	21.6	77.1	1.3	4406	100.0
Other fishery related	40.0	59.1	0.9	795	100.0
Coir industry	22.2	55.6	22.2	9	100.0
Lime industries	85.0	15.0	-	20	100.0
Other manufacturing industries	66.3	33.1	0.6	1432	100.0
Trade	54.2	44.7	1.1	1576	100.0
Tourism related industry	100.0	-	-	6	100.0
Other related services	79.5	19.3	1.2	1089	100.0
Other	80.8	18.2	1.0	8199	100.0
Government sector	95.0	3.9	1.1	2570	100.0
Total & Percentage	13641 (62.2)	8063 (36.7)	245 (1.1)	21949	100.0

Source: Department of Census and Statistics

Note: NS^a - Not Stated

* Statistics given here are only for the affected DS divisions

** Damaged – Completely damaged, Partially damaged (Unusable), Partially damaged (Usable) building units only were considered damaged.