THE LABOUR MARKET IN 2Q 2019



Resident Citizen

Jun 19: 3.1%

Mar 19: 3.0%

Mar 19: 3.2%



Lower Employment Growth

compared to 10,700 in 1Q19 and 6,500 in 2Q18

Resident and Citizen Unemployment Rates Continued To Inch Up However,
Retrenchments Remained
Low

as employers exercised greater caution in hiring instead of laying off existing workers

Notes:

(1)Data for 2Q19 and Jun19 are preliminary (2)Total employment exclude foreign domestic workers (3)Unemployment rates are seasonally adjusted

Source: Labour Market Advance Release Second Quarter 2019

