MID term appraisal of twelfth plan

- 62. DR. T. SUBBARAMI REDDY: Will the Minister of PLANNING be pleased to state:
- (a) whether Government finalized or proposed to finalize sector-wise, mid-term performance appraisal of Twelfth Five Year Plan, if so, the details thereof; and
- (b) the progress made so far, and whether any mid-course correction suggested in the Twelfth Five Year Plan, with details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF PLANNING (RAO INDERJIT SINGH): (a) and (b) The process for preparation of the Mid Term Appraisal (MTA) of the 12th Plan was initiated in the erstwhile Planning Commission. In the meeting of Internal Planning Commission held on 27.01.2014, it was decided to write MTA along selected themes instead of mirroring the chapters of the 12th Plan document. The suggested themes for MTA are; Macroeconomic Factors, Employment, Governance, Human Development, Physical Infrastructure, Earth Resources (Environmental Sustainability), Rural Transformation and Urbanization.

In the first Governing Council Meeting of NITI Aayog, it was decided that as the Mid Term appraisal of the 12th Plan is due, it will be undertaken by the NITI Aayog. NITI Aayog is in the process of finalization of the chapters of the Mid Term Appraisal of the Twelfth Five Year Plan.

Funds for private partners through NSDC

- 63. SHRI DEVENDER GOUD T.: Will the Minister of SKILL DEVELOPMENT AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP be pleased to state:
- (a) whether National Skill Development Corporation (NSDC) has undertaken mission mode projects for skill development in the country, if so, the details thereof,
- (b) whether NSDC has partnered with private organizations for skill initiatives, if so, the details thereon, criteria for consideration of proposals by NSDC; and
- (c) funds given to private partners through NSDC for skill development during each of the last three years and the current year, year-wise and State-wise?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF SKILL DEVELOPMENT AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP (SHRI RAJIV PRATAP RUDDY): (a) No, Sir.

(b) Yes Sir. The National Skill Development Corporation (NSDC) has approved 203 partners in the private sector till 31.3.2015. NSDC follows a detailed system for selection of proposals. NSDC has adopted a Financial Management Manual for

Disbursement of Loans and Grants' for approving the projects. All the proposals which pass through the initial screening, go through the detailed diligence process. NSDC has engaged external consultants for technical, financial and legal due diligence. Thereafter, the diligence report are presented to various levels for approval.

(c) Funds given to private partners by NSDC for skill development during 2011-12 to 2013-14 is as follows:

Financial year	Funds Disbursed (₹ In Crore)
FY 11-12	136.84
FY 12-13	131.29
FY 13-14	305.41
FY 14-15	172.18

Collaboration for skill development

- 64. SHRI GULAM RASOOL BALYAWI: Will the Minister of SKILL DEVELOPMENT AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP be pleased to state:
- (a) the schemes prepared by the Ministry for the skill development and entrepreneurship in the country;
 - (b) the allocations made for the same for the current year, scheme-wise;
- (c) the names of bodies and organizations with which collaboration is being made for the purpose; and
 - (d) the targets for the next five years?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF SKILL DEVELOPMENT AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP (SHRI RAJIV PRATAP RUDDY): (a) The Ministry of Skill Development and Entrepreneurship has a skill development scheme namely Pradhan Mantri Kaushal Vikas Yojana (PMKVY) approved by the Union Cabinet on 20.3.2015.

- (b) The Ministry has been allotted ₹ 1500 crore under Plan for its schemes and programmes during 2015-16. Out of this, ₹ 1000 crore is earmarked for PMKVY.
- (c) The National Skill Development Corporation (NSDC) is the implementing agency for PMKVY.
- (d) The PMKVY has a target to train 14 lakh persons and certify 10 lakh persons under Recognition of Prior Learning (RPL) in the first year.