

Training for selected subjects under skill development scheme

†2188. SHRI NARESH AGRAWAL: Will the Minister of SKILL DEVELOPMENT AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the training is being imparted for some selected subjects at the training centres opened under the skill development scheme;

(b) if so, the reasons therefor because it is depriving the youths of getting training as per their interests;

(c) if not, the name of subjects for which Government has issued direction to provide training; and

(d) the name of subjects for which the trainees have got maximum jobs?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SKILL DEVELOPMENT AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP (SHRI RAJIV PRATAP RUDY): (a) to (d) Government has launched Pradhan Mantri Kaushal Vikas Yojana (PMKVY) on 15th July, 2015 which is a reward based, demand driven scheme aiming to benefit 24 lakh persons with training of 14 lakh fresh entrants and certification of 10 lakh persons under Recognition of Prior Learning (RPL). The scheme has a coverage of 328 job roles developed by 28 Sector Skill Councils (SSCs) which are industry led bodies intended to align the skilling efforts as per the industry's requirement. As on 30th November, 2015, 5.32 lakh people have been enrolled under the scheme through 6,380 training centres in 29 States and 5 Union Territories with a coverage of 570 districts of the country.

Further, as per the available data, maximum trainees got employment in Information Technology-Information Technology enabled Services (IT-ITeS) and Telecom sectors.

Funds to States for skill development activities

2189. DR. V. MAITREYAN: Will the Minister of SKILL DEVELOPMENT AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government has provided any financial and logistic assistance for skill development and entrepreneurship in the country since the inception of the New Ministry, if so, the details thereof;

(b) whether the Ministry has fixed any specific targets to be achieved through the National Skill Development Mission;

(c) the total funds allocated for States/UTs for Skill development activities in the last 4 years, year-wise, State-wise; and

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