

Skill training in LWE affected districts

942. SHRI ABIR RANJAN BISWAS: Will the MINISTER of SKILL DEVELOPMENT AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP be pleased to state:

(a) the total number of people who have received skill training in the Left Wing Extremism (LWE) affected districts during the last four years;

(b) the total number of people who have been successfully placed after receiving training in the Left Wing Extremism affected districts during the last four years; and

(c) what are the areas or industries in which the youth from the LWE affected districts are being trained and placed in?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SKILL DEVELOPMENT AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP (SHRI ANANTKUMAR HEGDE): (a) to (c) As per information received from various States and Central Government Departments, a total of 689242 numbers of trainees of the LWE affected districts have been trained in various skill training courses in the last 4 years. Out of them, 117956 numbers of trainees have been trained and placed in several Government departments along with various industry sectors such as manufacturing, agriculture, apparel, automobile, beauty and wellness, capital goods, construction, electronics, mining, plumbing, power and telecom, Thermal Power Station, Collieries, etc.

Misuse of funds in the name of skill development

†943. SHRI P.L. PUNIA: Will the Minister of SKILL DEVELOPMENT AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that in the financial year 2009-10 ten lakh youth were provided employment and it got reduced to only two lakhs in financial year 2015-16;

(b) whether it is also a fact that employment and skill development programmes have been utter failure;

(c) whether there has been plundering in the name of skill development and Government money is being misused;

(d) whether it is a fact that there is no monitoring and control of any capable and responsible agency on centres of skill development; and

(e) the details thereof?

† Original notice of the question was received in Hindi.