

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF SKILL DEVELOPMENT AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP
RAJYA SABHA
STARRED QUESTION NO. 78
ANSWERED ON 14.12.2022

PRADHAN MANTRI KAUSHAL VIKAS YOJANA 3.0

*78. SHRI MOHAMMED NADIMUL HAQUE:

Will the Minister of SKILL DEVELOPMENT AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP be pleased to state:-

- (a) whether it is a fact that only 72 percent of funds under the Pradhan Mantri Kaushal Vikas Yojana Scheme (PMKVY) 3.0 have been utilised, if so, details thereof and reasons therefor;
- (b) the number of candidates who were trained and the number of candidates who got placed under PMKVY 3.0;
- (c) the percentage of candidates who dropped out after joining PMKVY 3.0; and
- (d) whether Government has laid out any mechanisms to align the training programmes with industry requirements and thereby increase candidates participation, if so, details thereof?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF SKILL DEVELOPMENT AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP
(SHRI DHARMENDRA PRADHAN)

(a) to (d): A statement is laid on the Table of the House.

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (A) TO (D) IN RESPECT OF RAJYA SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO. 78 FOR REPLY ON 14.12.2022 REGARDING PRADHAN MANTRI KAUSHAL VIKAS YOJANA 3.0 ASKED BY SHRI MOHAMMED NADIMUL HAQUE.

(a): The financial outlay of Pradhan Mantri Kaushal Vikas Yojana (PMKVY 3.0) was Rs. 948.90 Cr., out of which, Rs. 692.68 Cr. was disbursed to the implementing agencies which is around 73% of the total outlay. Out of the total outlay of the scheme, 75% i.e. Rs. 712 Cr. (approx.) was for Central component and 25% i.e. Rs. 237 Cr. was for State component. Under Central component, Rs. 644.27 Cr. was disbursed to the implementing agency i.e. National Skill Development Corporation which is around 90% of allocation (i.e., Rs. 712 Cr.). Under State component, Rs. 48.41 Cr. was disbursed to State Govt./State Skill Development Mission (SSDM) which is around 20% of allocation (i.e., Rs. 237 Cr.). Also, the implementation of the PMKVY 3.0 was disrupted due to COVID-19 pandemic induced lockdown.

(b): Under PMKVY 3.0, as on 30.09.2022, 7.31 lakh candidates have been trained/oriented across the country.

PMKVY has two training components, namely, Short Term Training (STT) and Recognition of Prior Learning (RPL). Under PMKVY, placement opportunities are being provided to STT certified candidates (excluding Customized Crash Course Programme for COVID Warriors and Skill Hubs Initiative wherein placement has been de-linked), while RPL is not linked with placements as it recognizes the existing skills of candidate. Under PMKVY 3.0-STT, around 1.12 lakh candidates have been certified; out of which, around 36 thousand candidates have been reported placed.

(c): Under PMKVY 3.0, as on 30.09.2022, 7.95 lakh candidates were enrolled; out of which, 7.31 lakh candidates have already been trained and training of around 6.5 thousand candidates is under-going. Around 57 thousand candidates have dropped out from the training after enrollment which is around 7.16% of total enrolled candidates.

(d): Yes Sir. Ministry has taken various steps to align the training under PMKVY with the industry requirements to increase the participation of the candidates. Under PMKVY, training is provided to candidates as per the skilling demand of industry. Ministry through National Skill Development Corporation (NSDC) has facilitated the setting up of 37 Sector Skill Councils as autonomous industry led bodies to develop National Skill Qualification Framework (NSQF) aligned job roles and course curriculum, conduct skill gap studies and assess and certify trainees.

Also, Ministry is implementing National Apprenticeship Promotion Scheme (NAPS) to promote apprenticeship training at establishments/industries across the country. From 2017-18 to 2021-22, more than 14 lakh candidates have been provided apprenticeship training across the country.

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*78 श्री मोहम्मद नदीमुल हक:

क्या कौशल विकास और उद्यमशीलता मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि:

- (क) क्या यह सच है कि प्रधानमंत्री कौशल विकास योजना (पीएमकेवीवाई) 3.0 के अंतर्गत केवल 72 प्रतिशत धनराशि का उपयोग किया गया है, यदि हाँ, तो तत्संबंधी ब्यौरा क्या है और इसके क्या कारण हैं;
- (ख) प्रधानमंत्री कौशल विकास योजना (पीएमकेवीवाई) 3.0 के अंतर्गत प्रशिक्षित और नियोजित उम्मीदवारों की संख्या कितनी है;
- (ग) प्रधानमंत्री कौशल विकास योजना (पीएमकेवीवाई) 3.0 में शामिल होने के बाद कितने प्रतिशत उम्मीदवारों ने योजना को बीच में ही छोड़ दिया; और
- (घ) क्या सरकार ने प्रशिक्षण कार्यक्रमों को उद्योग की आवश्यकताओं के अनुरूप बनाने और इसके माध्यम से उम्मीदवारों की भागीदारी बढ़ाने के लिए कोई व्यवस्था की है, यदि हाँ, तो तत्संबंधी ब्यौरा क्या है?

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- (क) से (घ) : विवरण सदन के पटल पर रख दिया गया है।

श्री मोहम्मद नदीमुल हक द्वारा प्रधान मंत्री कौशल विकास योजना 3.0 के संबंध में दिनांक 14.12.2022 को पूछे गए राज्य सभा तारांकित प्रश्न संख्या 78 के संबंध में भाग (क) से (घ) के उत्तर में उल्लिखित विवरण।

(क): प्रधान मंत्री कौशल विकास योजना (पीएमकेवीवाई 3.0) का वित्तीय परिव्यय 948.90 करोड़ रुपये था। जिसमें से परिव्यय का 75% अर्थात् 712 करोड़ रुपये (लगभग) केंद्रीय घटक और परिव्यय का 25% यानी 237 करोड़ रुपये राज्य घटक के लिए था। केंद्रीय घटक के तहत 644.27 करोड़ रुपये कार्यान्वयन एजेंसी यानी राष्ट्रीय कौशल विकास निगम को संवितरित किए गए थे, जो आवंटन (यानी, 712 करोड़ रुपये) का लगभग 90% है। राज्य घटक के तहत 48.41 करोड़ रुपये राज्य सरकार/राज्य कौशल विकास मिशन (एसएसडीएम) को संवितरित किए गए थे, जो आवंटन (अर्थात् 237 करोड़ रुपये) का लगभग 20% है। साथ ही, कोविड-19 महामारी जनित लॉकडाउन के कारण पीएमकेवीवाई 3.0 का कार्यान्वयन बाधित हो गया था।

(ख): दिनांक 30.09.2022 तक की स्थिति के अनुसार पीएमकेवीवाई 3.0 के तहत देश भर में 7.31 लाख उम्मीदवारों को प्रशिक्षित/उन्मुख किया गया है।

पीएमकेवीवाई के दो प्रशिक्षण घटक हैं, अर्थात् अल्पावधि प्रशिक्षण (एसटीटी) और पूर्व शिक्षण मान्यता (आरपीएल)। पीएमकेवीवाई के तहत एसटीटी प्रमाणित उम्मीदवारों को नियोजन के अवसर प्रदान किए जा रहे हैं (कोविड वारियर्स और स्किल हब इनिशिएटिव के लिए कस्टमाइज्ड क्रैश कोर्स प्रोग्राम को छोड़कर, जिसमें प्लेसमेंट को डी-लिंक किया गया है), जबकि आरपीएल नियोजन से जुड़ा नहीं है क्योंकि यह उम्मीदवार के मौजूदा कौशल को मान्यता देता है। पीएमकेवीवाई 3.0-एसटीटी के तहत, लगभग 1.12 लाख उम्मीदवारों को प्रमाणित किया गया है; जिनमें से करीब 36 हजार उम्मीदवारों के नियोजन की सूचना है।

(ग): दिनांक 30.09.2022 तक की स्थिति के अनुसार पीएमकेवीवाई 3.0 के तहत 7.95 लाख उम्मीदवारों का पंजीकरण किया गया था; जिनमें से 7.31 लाख उम्मीदवारों को पहले ही प्रशिक्षित किया जा चुका है तथा लगभग 6.5 हजार उम्मीदवारों का प्रशिक्षण जारी है। लगभग 57 हजार उम्मीदवार पंजीकरण के बाद प्रशिक्षण छोड़ चुके हैं जो कुल पंजीकृत उम्मीदवारों का लगभग 7.16 प्रतिशत है।

(घ): जी, हां। मंत्रालय ने उद्योग की आवश्यकताओं के साथ उम्मीदवारों की भागीदारी बढ़ाने के लिए पीएमकेवीवाई के तहत प्रशिक्षण को संरेखित करने के लिए कई कदम उठाए हैं। पीएमकेवीवाई के तहत, उद्योग की कौशलीकरण मांग के अनुसार उम्मीदवारों को प्रशिक्षण प्रदान किया जाता है। मंत्रालय ने राष्ट्रीय कौशल विकास निगम (एनएसडीसी) के माध्यम से स्वायत्त उद्योग नीत वाले निकायों के रूप में 37 क्षेत्र कौशल परिषदों की स्थापना की सुविधा प्रदान की है ताकि राष्ट्रीय कौशल अर्हता ढांचे (एनएसक्यूएफ) के अनुरूप जॉब रोलस और पाठ्यक्रम पाठ्यचर्या विकसित की जा सके, कौशल अंतर अध्ययन तथा प्रशिक्षुओं का आकलन और प्रमाणन किया जा सके।

साथ ही, मंत्रालय देश भर में प्रतिष्ठानों/उद्योगों में शिक्षुता प्रशिक्षण को बढ़ावा देने के लिए राष्ट्रीय शिक्षुता संवर्धन स्कीम (एनएपीएस) का कार्यान्वयन कर रहा है। वर्ष 2017-18 से 2021-22 तक देश भर में 14 लाख से अधिक उम्मीदवारों को शिक्षुता प्रशिक्षण प्रदान किया जा चुका है।

SHRI MOHAMMED NADIMUL HAQUE: Sir, in the context of the National Credit Framework, which was launched for public consultation in October by the hon. Minister, I want to know this from the hon. Minister. How will the National Credit Framework enable the integration of academic and vocational domains to ensure flexibility and mobility between the two? Also, how is the Ministry planning to bring back the students and candidates, who have dropped out of the mainstream education and training programmes, to re-enter education as well as vocational ecosystem?

SHRI RAJEEV CHANDRASEKHAR: Sir, I appreciate the hon. Member's interest in the National Credit Framework. But I respectfully point out that the question that he has submitted pertains to PMKVY3.0. If he submits a question on National Credit Framework, I will be more than happy to answer it.

SHRI MOHAMMED NADIMUL HAQUE: Sir, I will definitely take it up but I thought that he would be better prepared. Anyway, the dropout percentage is higher than the placement percentage of candidates. So, how is the Ministry monitoring the performance of all the States in the field of skill development when only 15 out of 36 States and Union Territories have a functional online management system for Centrally-sponsored State management component?

SHRI RAJEEV CHANDRASEKHAR: Sir, I think the hon. Member has asked a question about PMKVY 3.0 and his question specifically referred to utilization of funds of PMKVY 3.0. The answer comprehensively lays out that while the scheme is over, the process of disbursing the funds is still underway because many States are yet to submit utilization certificates.

Sir, on the issue of monitoring, as the hon. Member is aware and, through you, I would like to inform the House that PMKVY 3.0 was implemented during the Covid period. Therefore, the outcomes of PMKVY 3.0 are very different from the previous PMKVY 2.0 which had high placement rates. This had two very, very distinct programmes of skilling Covid warriors and expanding RPL in short term training to the Skill Hub Initiative. So, the placement rates of PMKVY 3.0, being a programme during the Covid period, are lower than the previous scheme. But we think and expect that as the Covid risk recedes and we restart the programme, the placement rates will again go up.

SHRI G.C. CHANDRASHEKHAR: Sir, there are many Centrally-sponsored skill development programmes in Karnataka. In the year 2021-22, schemes such as *Kaigarika Nagara Uttameekarana*, for which, the Centre has promised Rs.25 crore but released only Rs.2.4 crore; for SANKALP Yojana, no money is released; for *Rashtriya Nagara Jeevana Utthana Abhiyana*, it is zero. No money is released.

MR. DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: Please put your question.

SHRI G.C. CHANDRASHEKHAR: For Pradhan Mantri Kaushal Vikas Yojana, it is only Rs.4.96 crore.

MR. DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: Chandrashekarji, please put your question.

SHRI G.C. CHANDRASHEKHAR: I am coming to the question. *Rashtriya Vritti Yojana*, only Rs.91 lakh. Sir, dedicated to more than 2.2 crore youth...

MR. DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: Please put your question. Otherwise, I will move to somebody else.

SHRI G.C. CHANDRASHEKHAR: That is why I am asking. Is the Government planning to increase these allocations in the upcoming Budget? What are the reasons for less allocation?

SHRI RAJEEV CHANDRASEKHAR: Sir, as the answer very clearly points out, I respectfully draw the attention of the hon. Member -- who shares my last name -- there is a State component of Rs.237 crore in PMKVY 3.0. To a large extent, that State component has been disbursed and some amounts remain to be disbursed because of utilization certificates. Now, the specific programmes that he referred to are not under PMKVY 3.0. So, again, as I mentioned to the earlier Member, if there is a specific question which he would like to pose on those schemes, I would be more than happy to answer either in Parliament or he can meet me. ...*(Interruptions)*... Sir, the question pertains to PMKVY 3.0.

श्रीमती सुमित्रा बाल्मीक : उपसभापति महोदय, मैं माननीय मंत्री महोदय से पूछना चाहती हूँ कि प्रधान मंत्री कौशल विकास योजना के अन्तर्गत मध्य प्रदेश में कितने उम्मीदवारों को प्रशिक्षित किया जा चुका है और क्या पिछड़े समुदाय और ग्रामीण क्षेत्रों में अधिक लोगों को इस योजना का लाभ पहुंचाने हेतु विशेष प्रयोजन किये गये हैं?

SHRI RAJEEV CHANDRASEKHAR: Sir, the hon. Member has asked a question about PMKVY in Madhya Pradesh and I would like to share with the hon. Member that under the programme of Skill India of PMKVY 3.0, 10,256 students have been trained और एस.टी.टी. के अन्तर्गत हमने 45,000 स्टूडेंट्स को ट्रेनिंग दी है। उन 45,000 में से 4,100 युवाओं को हमने प्लेसमेंट में नौकरी भी दी है। यह पी.एम.के.वी.वाई. 3.0 का मध्य प्रदेश में परफॉर्मेंस है।

SHRI VIKRAMJIT SINGH SAHNEY: Sir, I would request the hon. Minister -- he has been a good friend of mine for two decades and I had a chance of working with him - - to tell us how much target has been given for the current financial year for PMKVY 3.0 in Punjab because when we looked at the deliberations in papers yesterday, I noticed with great distress that there has been a decline of 92.5 per cent in fund allocation in PMKVY to Punjab. So, this is, I think, unfair. Also, about the Multi Skill Development Centres by the Government of Punjab, buildings have been made but they are lying vacant. There are hardly 50 students or 100 students because I myself have adopted 25 ITIs and I have visited these MSDCs. Please support them.

MR. DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: Thank you. You have put your question.

SHRI VIKRAMJIT SINGH SAHNEY: And what is the news about the PMKVY 4.0? Why is there a sharp decline of 92.5 per cent in the allocation to Punjab?

SHRI RAJEEV CHANDRASEKHAR: Hon. Deputy Chairman, Sir, there are many questions that the hon. Member has posed including the performance of ITIs. The ITIs are.....*(Interruptions)*...

SHRI VIKRAMJIT SINGH SAHNEY: Sir, I am asking why the PMKVY budget has gone down. About ITIs, I said that I have adopted ITIs.

MR. DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: Please let him reply. ...*(Interruptions)*... You have put your question. ...*(Interruptions)*... Please. ...*(Interruptions)*...

SHRI RAJEEV CHANDRASEKHAR: May I complete? ...*(Interruptions)*...

MR. DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: No, no. ...*(Interruptions)*... Nothing now. ...*(Interruptions)*...

SHRI RAJEEV CHANDRASEKHAR: May I complete my answer? ...*(Interruptions)*...

MR. DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: Please, you have put your question. Hon. Minister.

SHRI RAJEEV CHANDRASEKHAR: The Government of India does not provide any budgetary allocation for ITIs. ITIs are managed by the State Government and any financial support to the ITIs is given by the State Government. As for why the allocation for PMKVY 3.0 is less than PMKVY 2.0, as I have mentioned earlier, the main objectives of PMKVY 3.0 were to deal with the Covid pandemic. Since there were large-scale disruptions during Covid of education and skilling and there was much lower attendance of students and large numbers of institutions were closed during Covid, obviously, it makes no sense to be granting higher allocations when the institutions are closed or students are not coming for training. I hope the Member understands what happened during Covid pandemic. In terms of the general situation of skilling in Punjab, I would request the Member to take it up with the previous Government and the current Government that is tasked with building the skilling ecosystem in Punjab. Thank you, Sir. ...*(Interruptions)*...

SHRI VIKRAMJIT SINGH SAHNEY: But there are no funds.

MR. DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: Please, no. ...*(Interruptions)*... Please, nothing. Now, Q. No. 79 and Q. No. 80, both are of same nature, इसलिए इन दोनों सवाल को हम एक साथ ले रहे हैं। Q. No. 79., hon. Member, Shri Tiruchi Siva, not present.

* 79. [*The questioner was absent.*]