

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF SKILL DEVELOPMENT AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP  
**RAJYA SABHA**  
**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO - 1710**  
ANSWERED ON – 21/12/2022

**TRAINING UNDER PMKVY**

1710 # DR. KALPANA SAINI:

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

- (a) the number of applicants who have been imparted training under the Pradhan Mantri Kaushal Vikas Yojana (PMKVY) during the last three years;
- (b) whether Government has provided any financial assistance to the applicants who have been trained under this scheme to start their own business;
- (c) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor; and
- (d) the target set for Pradhan Mantri Kaushal Vikas Yojana 3.0?

**ANSWER**

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SKILL DEVELOPMENT AND  
ENTREPRENEURSHIP

(SHRI RAJEEV CHANDRASEKHAR)

- (a) Under Pradhan Mantri Kaushal Vikas Yojana (PMKVY), 71.42 lakh candidates have been trained / oriented in last three years i.e., 2019-22.
- (b) & (c) Under PMKVY, there is no provision to provide financial assistance to the trained candidates to start their own business. However, Government of India has launched several other schemes under the Ministry of Finance (MoF) and Ministry of Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises (MSME) such as Stand-up India Scheme (SUPI), Pradhan Mantri MUDRA Yojana (PMMY), Prime Minister Employment Generation Programme (PMEGP), etc., to promote entrepreneurship development through facilitating bank linkages, financial assistance along with providing guidance and mentoring support.
- (d) Under third phase of PMKVY i.e. PMKVY 3.0, the target was to train 8 lakh candidates across the country.

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