

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF NEW AND RENEWABLE ENERGY
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ANSWERED ON
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Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING NEW AND RENEWABLE ENERGY be pleased to state :-

- (a) whether it is a fact that under the Jawaharlal Nehru National Solar Mission (JNNSM) plan document of the Ministry during the next 12 years, all over India one lakh personnel has to be trained in solar area;
- (b) if so, the details of reservation provided in the plan document to train Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribe candidates; and
- (c) if not, the reasons therefor?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF NEW AND RENEWABLE ENERGY

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(a),(b)&(c): The Jawaharlal Nehru National Solar Mission envisages that about 100,000 trained and specialized personnel would be required by 2022 for engineering, management and R&D functions in the area of Solar Energy, largely in the private sector. Capacity building activities including training are undertaken in various institutions including IITs and other academic institutions. Reservation in providing training is not envisaged.