

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF SKILL DEVELOPMENT & ENTREPRENEURSHIP**

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**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1060
TO BE ANSWERED ON 09.03.2017**

ADVANCE TRAINING INSTITUTE IN ANDHRA PRADESH

1060. SHRI C.M RAMESH:

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

- (a) whether it is a fact that the Chief Minister of Andhra Pradesh has written a letter and submitted a proposal for setting up of Advance Training Institute in Andhra Pradesh;
- (b) whether it is also a fact that the proposal has been submitted almost two years ago; and
- (c) if so, the steps Ministry has taken to set up the same and by when it is likely to be established?

ANSWER

**MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) FOR THE MINISTRY OF
SKILL DEVELOPMENT & ENTREPRENEURSHIP
(SHRI RAJIV PRATAP RUDY)**

(a) & (b) Yes Sir, the Hon'ble CM of Andhra Pradesh has written a letter dated 04.05.2015 and submitted a proposal for setting up of Advanced Training Institute (ATI) in Andhra Pradesh.

(c) The Planning Commission had accorded 'in principle' approval for setting up of 15 ATIs and 12 Regional Vocational Training Institutes (RVTIs) under PPP mode in 2011. During that period Andhra Pradesh was not bifurcated and there are already 2 ATIs located at Hyderabad. Hence, setting up of another ATI in the state was not proposed. States where there was no ATI were considered for setting up of ATI in PPP mode. Accordingly, bidding process has been started for 12 ATIs in First Phase for those States which have provided the land.
