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**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF HOUSING AND URBAN AFFAIRS
RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 36
TO BE ANSWERED ON JULY 18, 2022**

NIPUN YOJANA FOR LABOURERS

NO. 36. SMT. GEETA ALIAS CHANDRAPRABHA:

Will the Minister of Housing & Urban Affairs be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of the Nipun Yojana;
- (b) whether the labourers working in the construction sector would be benefitted by this scheme; and
- (c) if so, the way in which these labourers would get benefitted and how would this scheme be beneficial for their skill development, the details thereof?

**ANSWER
THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE
MINISTRY OF HOUSING AND URBAN AFFAIRS
(SHRI KAUSHAL KISHORE)**

- (a) to (c): Ministry of Housing and Urban Affairs (MoHUA) is implementing an innovative project - NIPUN (National Initiative for Promotion of Upskilling of Nirman workers), as part of Deendayal Antyodaya Yojana – National Urban Livelihoods Mission (DAY-NULM).

This project aims to skill train over one lakh construction workers in the National Skills Qualifications Framework (NSQF) aligned courses. National Skill Development Corporation (NSDC) is the implementation agency, and a network of industry partners in construction sector and the related Sector Skill Councils (SSCs) i.e. Construction Skill Development Council of India (CSDCI), Water Management & Plumbing Skill Council and Infrastructure and Equipment Sector skill Council (IESC) are participating in this initiative.

NIPUN, *inter-alia*, includes on-site Recognition of Prior Learning (RPL), & fresh skill training.
