

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.
