GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF EDUCATION DEPARTMENT OF HIGHER EDUCATION

RAJYA SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1622 ANSWERED ON 15.03.2023

Courses on SWAYAM portal

1622. SHRI ABDUL WAHAB:

Will the Minister of EDUCATION be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of course registration received during last five years till date on SWAYAM portal;
- (b) the number of certificates issued to during the period;
- (c) the amount allocated and utilized in the last five years; and
- (d) the amount spent on facilitating infrastructure to deliver online lectures?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF EDUCATION (DR. SUBHAS SARKAR)

- (a) From the Academic Session January-2018 till the Academic Session January 2023, number of courses for which students have registered on SWAYAM portal was more than 2.58 crore.
- (b) From the Academic Session January-2018 till the Academic Session January 2023, 14.53 lakh certificates were issued.
- (c) & (d) From Financial Year 2018-19 to 2022-23, Rs. 519.5 Crore was allocated for SWAYAM. From Financial Year 2018-19 till 13th March 2023, Rs. 483.18 Crore has been utilized. This interalia included components such as MOOCs Development and Delivery, Translation of courses, Platform maintenance, Call Centre and Content Delivery Networks (CDN), all of which facilitate infrastructure to deliver online lectures.
