

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF PANCHAYATI RAJ
RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3743
ANSWERED ON 05.04.2023

**ESTABLISHMENT OF RURAL LIVELIHOOD TRAINING CENTRES AT
PANCHAYAT LEVEL**

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Will the Minister of Panchayati Raj be pleased to state?

- (a) whether Government has any plan to establish rural livelihood training centres in the country, Tamil Nadu in particular;
- (b) if so, the details thereof, if not, the reasons therefor;
- (c) whether Government has allocated any fund to Tamil Nadu to implement various schemes under the local bodies and village/rural administration; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR PANCHAYATI RAJ

(SHRI KAPIL MORESHWAR PATIL)

(a) & (b) As per the information provided by the Ministry of Rural Development, the Ministry is implementing schemes such as Deen Dayal Upadhyaya Grameen Kaushalya Yojana (DDU-GKY) and Rural Self Employment Training Institutes (RSETI) in the field of skill development for rural poor youth under the National Rural Livelihoods Mission (NRLM) for their gainful employment to enable them to get out of poverty in the country including in the State of Tamil Nadu. A total of 33 RSETI are imparting training in the State of Tamil Nadu.

DDU-GKY follows a 3-tier implementation architecture for implementation. National level is responsible for policy, funding of central share and technical support, while State Rural Livelihood Missions (SRLMs) / State Skills Missions (SSMs) are responsible for funding of State share, implementation and monitoring controls. Project Implementing Agencies (PIAs), which are mostly private training partners, are responsible for mobilization, training and

placements. Skill Development projects to PIAs are sanctioned by the State by following prescribed procedure.

(c) & (d) Under the Fourteenth Finance Commission (2015-16 to 2019-20) and Fifteenth Finance Commission (2020-21 to 2025-26) an amount of Rs. 8777.42 Crores and Rs. 17666.00 crores respectively have been allocated to the state of Tamil Nadu for the Rural Local Bodies in the State to undertake various developmental works.
