

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF SKILL DEVELOPMENT AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP
RAJYA SABHA
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ANSWERED ON – 09.08.2023

PRADHAN MANTRI KAUSHAL VIKAS YOJANA (PMKVY)

2365. DR. SIKANDER KUMAR:

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

- (a) the number of Skill Development Centres (SDCs) established in Himachal Pradesh along with the funds allocated, centre-wise;
- (b) the details of courses offered under the Pradhan Mantri Kaushal Vikas Yojana (PMKVY) and number of students enrolled in these courses;
- (c) whether any specific measures has been adopted under PMKVY to increase participation of women in training; and
- (d) the number of people who got employed through different courses of PMKVY from Himachal Pradesh?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SKILL DEVELOPMENT AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP

(SHRI RAJEEV CHANDRASEKHAR)

(a) Under Pradhan Mantri Kaushal Vikas Yojana (PMKVY), skill training is imparted through Pradhan Mantri Kaushal Kendra (PMKK) and other Training Centres (TCs). A total of 198, 316 and 67 TCs including PMKK were set up under PMKVY 1.0, PMKVY 2.0 and PMKVY 3.0 respectively in the State of Himachal Pradesh. Currently, training is being imparted through 27 training centres in the State of Himachal Pradesh.

Under PMKVY, centre wise fund was not allocated however, Rs. 130.05 crore was utilized for imparting skill training in the State of Himachal Pradesh from 2015 to 30.6.2023.

(b) Under PMKVY since 2015, skill training has been imparted in 727 job roles across various sectors and 1.47 crore candidates have been enrolled in these courses across the country as on 30.06.2023.

(c) Yes, Sir. To increase the participation of women under PMKVY additional benefits are extended to women trainees. Travelling allowance of Rs. 1,000.00 per candidate per month is provided if the Training Centre is situated within the district of domicile of the women candidate and Rs. 1,500.00 per month if the Training Centre is situated outside the district of domicile of the candidate. Post Placement Support is also provided to the women candidates at the rate of Rs. 1,500.00 per month per candidate for 2 months if candidate is placed within the district of domicile and the same is provided for 3 months in case the candidate is placed outside the district of domicile. Apart from this, residential training is also available for women trainees where boarding and lodging facility are provided as per Common Norms.

(d) Under PMKVY, placement opportunities have been facilitated to STT certified candidates, and since RPL involves the process of certification of already existing skills, it is not linked with placements. Under the Short-Term Training component of PMKVY 27,185 candidates have been reported placed in Himachal Pradesh.
