

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF TEXTILES  
RAJYA SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO-160  
ANSWERED ON- 02/02/2024

**CAPACITY BUILDING OF WORKERS IN TEXTILE SECTOR**

160. SHRI RAJENDRA GEHLOT:

Will the Minister of TEXTILES be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of skill development programmes and functional textile training centres launched for capacity building of workers in the textile sector in the country, State-wise;
- (b) the number of beneficiaries under Integrated Skill Development Scheme (ISDS) and Samarth Scheme especially in the State of Rajasthan and other States during the last three years and the current year; and
- (c) whether any new scheme in the textile sector is under consideration for small towns, if so, the details thereof?

**ANSWER**

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR TEXTILES  
(SMT. DARSHANA JARDOSH)

**(a):** Ministry of Textiles implemented the umbrella skilling scheme of Integrated Skill Development Scheme (ISDS) during 2010-2018 for skill development and capacity building of workers across textile value chain. In further continuation, the revamped skilling scheme of Samarth-Scheme for Capacity Building in Textile Sector (SCBTS) was launched in 2017-18. Samarth provides demand driven, placement oriented National Skill Qualification Framework (NSQF) compliant skilling programme to supplement the efforts of the industry in creating jobs in the organized textile and related sectors, covering the textile value chain, excluding Spinning and Weaving in organized sector, through entry level and upskilling courses. Under Samarth, a total of 2,55,771 beneficiaries have been trained. State/UT-wise details of training centres functional in the country under Samarth scheme are given in **Annexure-I**.

**(b):** ISDS was operational up to 2017-18 and a total of 11.14 lakh beneficiaries were trained. Thereafter, Samarth was launched. The details of number of beneficiaries under Samarth during the last three years and the current year, State/UT-wise including Rajasthan are given in **Annexure-II**.

**(c):** Ministry of Textiles is implementing Samarth Scheme on Pan India basis, including small towns. Ministry of Textiles is implementing various schemes viz, Production Linked Incentive (PLI) Scheme, Pradhan Mantri Mega Integrated Textile Region and Apparel (PM MITRA), Amended Technology Upgradation Scheme (ATUFS), Silk Samagra, National Handloom Development Programme, National Handicraft Development Programme, Integrated Wool Development Programme (IWDP), National Technical Textile Mission (NTTM), Scheme for Integrated Textile Parks (SITP) etc. catering exclusively for development of textile sector in the country.

**Annexure-I****Details of textiles training centres functional in the country under Samarth scheme, State/UT-wise:****(As on 30.01.2024)**

<b>S. No.</b>	<b>State/UT</b>	<b>Number of training centres</b>
1	Andaman and Nicobar	2
2	Andhra Pradesh	47
3	Arunachal Pradesh	3
4	Assam	116
5	Bihar	41
6	Chandigarh	1
7	Chhattisgarh	16
8	Delhi	27
9	Goa	3
10	Gujarat	56
11	Haryana	49
12	Himachal Pradesh	6
13	Jammu And Kashmir	25
14	Jharkhand	21
15	Karnataka	476
16	Kerala	7
17	Ladakh	1
18	Madhya Pradesh	43
19	Maharashtra	51
20	Manipur	3
21	Meghalaya	5
22	Mizoram	4
23	Nagaland	15
24	Odisha	35
25	Puducherry	3
26	Punjab	7
27	Rajasthan	65
28	Sikkim	2
29	Tamil Nadu	554
30	Telangana	54
31	The Dadra and Nagar Haveli and Daman and Diu	7
32	Tripura	12
33	Uttar Pradesh	301
34	Uttarakhand	9
35	West Bengal	24
	<b>Total</b>	<b>2,091</b>

**Annexure-II**

**Details of beneficiaries under Samarth Scheme during the last three years and current year, State/UT wise including Rajasthan:**

**(As on 30.01.2024)**

<b>S. No.</b>	<b>State/ UT</b>	<b>Number of beneficiaries trained (passed) during last 3 years &amp; current year</b>
1	Andaman and Nicobar	88
2	Andhra Pradesh	6,594
3	Arunachal Pradesh	87
4	Assam	7,492
5	Bihar	6,277
6	Chandigarh	87
7	Chhattisgarh	2,357
8	Delhi	4,266
9	Goa	83
10	Gujarat	8,505
11	Haryana	12,464
12	Himachal Pradesh	550
13	Jammu And Kashmir	2,007
14	Jharkhand	2,128
15	Karnataka	60,754
16	Kerala	1,859
17	Ladakh	26
18	Madhya Pradesh	5,511
19	Maharashtra	9,205
20	Manipur	1,180
21	Meghalaya	139
22	Mizoram	610
23	Nagaland	1,037
24	Odisha	6,627
25	Puducherry	334
26	Punjab	744
27	Rajasthan	12,201
28	Sikkim	66
29	Tamil Nadu	55,776
30	Telangana	6,940
31	The Dadra and Nagar Haveli and Daman and Diu	1,815
32	Tripura	1,281
33	Uttar Pradesh	33,981
34	Uttarakhand	624
35	West Bengal	2,076
	<b>Total</b>	<b>2,55,771</b>

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