GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF SKILL DEVELOPMENT AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP

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ESTABLISHMENT OF SKILL DEVELOPMENT CENTRES IN RAIGAD, MAHARASHTRA

1563 # SHRI DHAIRYASHIL MOHAN PATIL:

Will the Minister of Skill Development and Entrepreneurship be pleased to state:

- (a) whether Government proposes to set up multi-sectoral skill development centres in Raigad, Maharashtra to cater to the needs of logistics, construction, fisheries and tourism industries; and
- (b) considering the limitations of the PMKVY and DDU-GKY schemes, the steps being taken towards the establishment of new training centres in collaboration with MSSDS, JNPT and organizations of the industry?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) IN THE MINISTRY OF SKILL DEVELOPMENT AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP

(SHRI JAYANT CHAUDHARY)

(a) & (b): Under the Government of India's Skill India Mission (SIM), the Ministry of Skill Development and Entrepreneurship (MSDE) delivers skill, re-skill and up-skill training through an extensive network of skill development centres under various schemes, viz. Pradhan Mantri Kaushal Vikas Yojana (PMKVY), Jan Shikshan Sansthan (JSS), National Apprenticeship Promotion Scheme (NAPS) and Craftsman Training Scheme (CTS) through Industrial Training Institutes (ITIs), to all the sections of the society across the country. The SIM aims at enabling youth of India to get future ready and equipped with industry relevant skills.

The schemes of MSDE for skill development are demand driven and the training centres (TCs) are set up/engaged on need basis to impart the training across the country. Details of training centres under schemes of MSDE in Raigad district of Maharashtra are as under:

	PMKVY	JSS	NAPS*	CTS (ITIs)
Maharashtra	684	21	9086	1037
Raigad	43	01	14 / X	20

^{*} Establishments engaging apprentices

Under PMKVY, the Government actively promotes expansion in sector-focused skill development initiatives. Training centers under PMKVY provide multi-sectoral, industry-aligned training, focusing on hands-on training. Through these initiatives, PMKVY aims to empower local youth, improve workforce participation, and strengthen industry-aligned skill training. Further, a Pradhan Mantri Kaushal Kendra (PMKK) was allocated to Jawaharlal Nehru Port Trust (JNPT) in Raigad, operated by All Cargo Skills Private Limited, to enhance logistics training.
