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DEPARTMENT OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT

**RAJYA SABHA**  
**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3326**  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 28/03/2025

**FUNDS FOR RURAL SELF EMPLOYMENT TRAINING INSTITUTES**

3326 DR. DHARMASTHALA VEERENDRA HEGGADE:

Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Rural Self Employment Training Institutes (RSETIs) are being run by banks and are well equipped to train Rural Poor Youth including Below Poverty Line (BPL) youth;
- (b) the details of step taken to update the training requirements based on local needs and candidates' interests; and
- (c) the details of funds provided to States under the scheme towards reimbursement of training cost?

**ANSWER**

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT  
(SHRI KAMLESH PASWAN)

(a)&(b): Yes. Rural Self Employment Training Institutes (RSETIs) are managed by banks and are designed to train poor rural youth, including those below the poverty line (BPL). Currently, there are 608 RSETIs across 593 districts in India, operated by 25 banks.

These institutes offer skill training in 64 courses and these courses are regularly updated and modified to meet NCVET standards, ensuring they remain relevant and beneficial to the beneficiaries. The details of the training courses offered are given in **Annexure-I**.

(c): The details of the funds provided to States under the Scheme towards reimbursement of training cost from 2014-15 to 2024-25 is given in **Annexure-II**.

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Annexure referred to in reply to part (b) of Rajya Sabha Unstarred Question No. 3326 due for reply on 28.03.2025.

S. No.	Type of EDP	Course Name
1	Agricultural EDPs	Bee Keeping
2	Agricultural EDPs	Commercial floriculture
3	Agricultural EDPs	Commercial Horticulture
4	Agricultural EDPs	Cultivation of Medicinal and Aromatic Plants
5	Agricultural EDPs	Dairy Farming and Vermi Compost Making
6	Agricultural EDPs	Gardening and Landscaping
7	Agricultural EDPs	Goat Rearing
8	Agricultural EDPs	Krishi Udyami
9	Agricultural EDPs	Matsya Mitra
10	Agricultural EDPs	Mushroom cultivation
11	Agricultural EDPs	Pashu Mitra
12	Agricultural EDPs	Piggery
13	Agricultural EDPs	Pissiculture
14	Agricultural EDPs	Poly Houses & Shade Net Farming
15	Agricultural EDPs	Poultry
16	Agricultural EDPs	Resham Kosh Utpadak Udyami
17	Agricultural EDPs	Rubber Tapping & Processing
18	Agricultural EDPs	Sheep Rearing
19	Agricultural EDPs	Vegetable Nursery Management and Cultivation
20	General EDPs	Business Correspondent & Business Facilitator
21	General EDPs	Community Resource Person for Enterprise Promotion - CRP-EP
22	General EDPs	Debt Recovery Agents
23	General EDPs	Entrepreneurship Development Programme (EDP) for Micro Entrepreneurs
24	Process EDPs	Alluminium Fabrication
25	Process EDPs	Beauty Parlor Management
26	Process EDPs	Carpentry
27	Process EDPs	Cell phone Repairs and Service
28	Process EDPs	Computer Hardware & Networking
29	Process EDPs	Computerized Accounting
30	Process EDPs	Desktop Publishing
31	Process EDPs	Electric Motor Rewinding & Repair Services
32	Process EDPs	Fast Food Stall Udyami
33	Process EDPs	Gharelu Vidyut Upkaran Seva Udyami
34	Process EDPs	House Aaya
35	Process EDPs	House Wiring
36	Process EDPs	Installation & Servicing of CCTV Camera, Security Alarm & Smoke Detector
37	Process EDPs	LMV Owner Driver
38	Process EDPs	Masonry & Concrete Work
39	Process EDPs	Men's Parlour and Salon Udyami
40	Process EDPs	Photo Farming, Lamination and Screen Printing
41	Process EDPs	Photography and Videography

42	Process EDPs	Plumbing and Sanitary Works
43	Process EDPs	Refrigeration and Air-conditioning
44	Process EDPs	Travel & Tourist Guide
45	Process EDPs	TV Technician
46	Process EDPs	Two Wheeler Mechanic
47	Process EDPs	UPS and Battery Making & Servicing
48	Process EDPs	Welding and Fabrication
49	Product EDPs	Bamboo & Cane Craft Making
50	Product EDPs	Candle Making
51	Product EDPs	Costume Jewelry Udyami
52	Product EDPs	Homemade Agarbatti Maker
53	Product EDPs	Jute Products Udyami
54	Product EDPs	Men's Tailor
55	Product EDPs	Papad, Pickle and Masala Powder
56	Product EDPs	Paper Cover, Envelope and File Making
57	Product EDPs	Soft Toys Maker and Seller
58	Product EDPs	Vastra Chitra Kala Udyami (Embroidery & Fabric Painting)
59	Product EDPs	Women's Tailor
Non-NSQF		
60	General EDPs	Bank Mitra (approved by MoRD)
61	General EDPs	General EDP (approved by MoRD)
62	General EDPs	Grocery & Kirana Shop (approved by MoRD)
63	General EDPs	Training Programme on Financial Literacy for FLCRPs (approved by MoRD)
64	General EDPs	EDP to Persons with Disabilities (approved by MoRD)

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Funds provided to States under the Scheme towards reimbursement of training cost

(₹ in lakhs)

S.N.	State/ UT	Total (from 2014-15 to 2024-25 as on Feb 2025)
1	Andaman & Nicobar Islands	22.21
2	Andhra Pradesh	4455.87
3	Arunachal Pradesh	0.00
4	Assam	3050.35
5	Bihar	6032.15
6	Chhattisgarh	4674.07
7	Dadar & Nagar Haveli	45.24
8	Gujarat	5607.86
9	Haryana	1821.26
10	Himachal Pradesh	1336.09
11	Jammu & Kashmir	686.15
12	Jharkhand	5019.92
13	Karnataka	7624.34
14	Kerala	1808.72
15	Lakshadweep	0.00
16	Madhya Pradesh	10694.94
17	Maharashtra	8236.90
18	Manipur	128.05
19	Meghalaya	408.85
20	Mizoram	164.39
21	Nagaland	124.59
22	Odisha	6872.02
23	Pondicherry	213.73
24	Punjab	3252.12
25	Rajasthan	4245.43
26	Sikkim	9.02
27	Tamilnadu	5962.05
28	Telangana	2478.94
29	Tripura	389.71
30	Uttar Pradesh	4846.20
31	Uttarakhand	802.56
32	West Bengal	1542.51
	<b>Total</b>	<b>92556.24</b>

Source: Records of Rural Skills Division

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