

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF SKILL DEVELOPMENT AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP  
LOK SABHA**

**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2500  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 30.11.2016**

**SKILL DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMME**

**†2500. SHRI MANSUKHBHAI DHANJIBHAI VASAVA:**

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

- (a) whether the schemes of skill development are being run in Narmada and Bharuch districts of Gujarat;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) the details of target population, prescribed time-period and the cost of projects under the said schemes in these districts;
- (d) whether there are any problems in implementation of the said schemes in these districts; and
- (e) if so, the details thereof and the manner in which the identified problems are likely to be resolved?

**ANSWER**

**MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) IN THE MINISTRY OF  
SKILL DEVELOPMENT AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP  
(SHRI RAJIV PRATAP RUDY)**

(a) to (e) At present, there are over 40 skill development schemes being implemented by Central Ministries/Department in the country. A number of these schemes are being implemented on pan India basis including Gujarat. The Ministry of Skill Development and Entrepreneurship has “Pradhan Mantri Kaushal Vikas Yojana (PMKVY)” which is the flagship skill development scheme of the Government. Under PMKVY, till 11.11.2016, around 44,000 persons have been trained in Gujarat including 2061 in Narmada and 491 in Bharuch District. There are certain challenges like mobilization and awareness, infrastructure and job opportunities generally faced in training and placement of youth which are addressed through kaushal melas, involvement of local agencies in mobilization and awareness, tie up with local industries etc.

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