GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF SKILL DEVELOPMENT AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP

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UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 628 TO BE ANSWERED ON 19.07.2017

TRAINING IN AGRICULTURAL AND ALLIED SECTORS

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

- (a) the details of the schemes/ programmes being run by the Government for skill development and training in Agricultural and allied sectors for the farmers in the country;
- (b) the number of farmers imparted training through these schemes along with the benefit accrued to them;
- (c) whether the Government has earmarked any fund for this purpose under various schemes, State-wise including Jharkhand; and
- (d) if so, the details of the funds earmarked and spent for this purpose during each of the last three years and the current year?

ANSWER

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

(a) & (b) Government of India is implementing two flagship schemes known as Pradhan Mantri Kaushal Vikas Yojana (PMKVY) and Pradhan Mantri Kaushal Kendra (PMKK) on pan–India basis to cover the prospective youths including farmers. PMKVY enables large number of prospective youths for taking Short Term Training (STT) and Recognition of Prior Learning (RPL) through accredited and affiliated training partner/training centers. This scheme has two components namely Centrally Sponsored Centrally Managed (CSCM) and Centrally Sponsored State Managed (CSSM). Under CSCM, skill development training is imparted across 221 job roles covering 35 sectors including agriculture. Out of 221 job roles, 10 job roles namely; Animal Health Worker, Aquaculture worker, Green House Operator, Dairy Farmer/ Entrepreneur, Tractor operator, Gardener, Micro Irrigation Technician, Organic grower, Quality Seed Grower and Small poultry farmer relate to agriculture sector. Under CSCM component of PMKVY, as on 6th July 2017, total 30,67,080 candidates are trained / undergoing training across country. Out of them, 2,27,947 candidates including farmer are trained / undergoing training in agriculture sector.

Under CSSM component known as state engagement component of PMKVY, there are provisions for flexibility to States government to identify additional job roles as per the local needs. Under this component, the target of training 57,670 candidates has been allocated in the State of Jharkhand for four years (2016-20) under State Engagement Component of PMKVY.

Under the PMKK, Ministry intends to establish a model aspirational skill centres in every district for imparting skill training through PMKVY. PMKKs have been allocated to all the 24 districts of Jharkhand.

(c) & (d) PMKVY 2015-16 has been approved with an outlay of Rs. 1500 Cr and modified PMKVY has been approved by the Union Cabinet with an outlay of Rs.12000 crore to impart skilling to one crore people over four years (2016-2020). Under CSSM, 25% of total funds and correspondingly physical targets have been allocated to States/UTs including Jharkhand. Details of funds allocated under State –engagement component of PMKVY 2016-20 is at **Annexure-I**.

States/UTs-wise details of Physical targets and Funds allocated under State engagement component of PMKVY 2016-20:

Annexure-I

S. No.	States/UTs	Physical targets allocated to States/UTs	Total funds allocated to States/UTs (in Cr.)
1.	JAMMU & KASHMIR	47302	69.36
2.	HIMACHAL PRADESH	49499	72.59
3.	PUNJAB	55029	80.69
4.	UTTARAKHAND	48238	70.74
5.	HARYANA	56038	82.17
6.	RAJASTHAN	64526	94.62
7.	UTTAR PRADESH	142550	209.04
8.	BIHAR	89665	131.49
9.	SIKKIM	34348	50.37
10.	ARUNACHAL PRADESH	29510	43.27
11.	NAGALAND	33021	48.42
12.	MANIPUR	32472	47.62
13.	MIZORAM	36671	53.77
14.	TRIPURA	37062	54.35
15.	MEGHALAYA	33642	49.33
16.	ASSAM	47258	69.30
17.	WEST BENGAL	123550	181.17
18.	JHARKHAND	57670	84.57
19.	ODISHA	58046	85.12
20.	CHHATTISGARH	48532	71.17
21.	MADHYA PRADESH	84058	123.26
22.	GUJARAT	77825	114.12
23.	MAHARASHTRA	167127	245.07
24.	ANDHRA PRADESH	64610	94.74
25.	KARNATAKA	94164	138.08
26.	GOA	46951	68.85
27.	KERALA	71456	104.78
28.	TAMIL NADU	140881	206.59
29.	TELANGANA	59611	87.41
30.	DELHI	81657	119.74
31.	ANDAMAN NICOBAR	4108	6.02
32.	CHANDIGARH	10288	15.09
33.	DADAR & NAGAR HAVELI	4000	5.87
34.	LAKSHADWEEP	4018	5.89
35.	PUDUCHERRY	10619	15.57
36.	DAMAN & DIU	4000	5.87
