

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT**

**LOK SABHA**

**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2141  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 01.01.2018**

**SCHEMES/PROJECTS IN AP**

**2141. SHRI RAM MOHAN NAIDU KINJARAPU:**

**Will the Minister of LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT be pleased to state:**

- (a) the details of projects carried out by the Ministry in the State of Andhra Pradesh including the schemes undertaken by the Ministry in Andhra Pradesh from 2014-2015 onwards; and**
- (b) the amount of funds released by the Ministry towards the State of Andhra Pradesh in this regard?**

**ANSWER**

**MINISTER OF STATE (IC) FOR LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT  
(SHRI SANTOSH KUMAR GANGWAR)**

**(a) & (b): The details of projects and schemes being implemented by the Ministry of Labour and Employment in the State of Andhra Pradesh from 2014-15 onwards and the amount of funds released by the Ministry towards the State of Andhra Pradesh are given in the Annexure-I & II, respectively.**

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**The details of projects and schemes being implemented by the Ministry of Labour and Employment in the State of Andhra Pradesh from 2014-15 onwards are as follows:**

**1. (a) National Career Service (NCS) –Public Employment Service Platform**

The Ministry is implementing the National Career Service (NCS) Project as a vibrant platform for transforming and strengthening the public employment services in the country including women. The NCS Portal ([www.ncs.gov.in](http://www.ncs.gov.in)) brings together job seekers, employers and other stakeholders on a common platform using information technology to provide a variety of employment related services like job matching, career counselling and information on skill development courses, apprenticeships, etc. It has rich repository of career content on over 3600 occupations across 52 sectors. The NCS project also involves setting up of 100 Model Career Centres (MCCs) to deliver quality employment services and these centres are being set up in collaboration with States and Institutions which includes 2 MCCs in Andhra Pradesh. All the employment exchanges are being linked up with the NCS Portal and job fairs are being organised on a regular basis including Andhra Pradesh.

**1(b) National Career Service Centres for SC/STs (NCSC SC/STs)**

The scheme for “Welfare of SC/ST job seekers through Coaching, Guidance and Vocational Training and introduction of new courses in existing CGCs & establishment of new CGCs in the states not covered so far” is being implemented through **25 NCSC SC/STs**. Out of these 25 NCSC for SC/STs, one centre has been established in Visakhapatnam, Andhra Pradesh in the current year i.e. 2017. The career guidance and training facilities in computer training are extended to SC/ST job seekers through following scheme.

- (I) Special Coaching Scheme: Special Coaching Scheme to prepare SC/ST candidates for competitive examinations/selection tests for Group 'C' posts.
- (II) A Scheme on “Introduction of New Courses in existing Coaching-Cum- Guidance Centres for SC/ST” for providing one year ‘O’ level Computer Training by outsourcing through National Institute of Electronics & Information Technology (NIELIT) institutions was started in w.e.f 03.08.2009
- (III) A Scheme on “Introduction of New Course in existing CGCs for providing one year ‘O’ level Computer Hardware Maintenance has also been started w.e.f. 01.08.2012 through NIELIT.

**2.** The Director General Labour Welfare (DGLW) administers welfare funds for Beedi, Cine and certain category of non-coal mine workers. It provides housing, medical care, educational and recreational facilities to workers employed in beedi industry. Details of projects under the Labour Welfare funds in the State of Andhra Pradesh are as follows:

Fund	Scheme/Benefit	2014-15:Health	2014-15: Education	
		No. of patients availed benefits	Fund	Beneficiaries
BEEDI	Patient Treated	63701	Beedi	0
	Schemes	4	LSD	47
BEEDI TOTAL		63705	IMC	2
CINE	Patients Treated	0	Cine	4
LSD & IMC		0	Total	53
TOTAL (BEEDI+CINE+LSD+IMC)		63705		
		2015-16:Health	2015-16:Education	
BEEDI	Patients Treated	57039	Beedi	48
	Schemes	11	LSD	36
BEEDI TOTAL		57050	IMC	2
CINE	Patients Treated	0	Cine	5
	Heart Disease	0	Total	91
CINE-TOTAL		0		
LSD & IMC		0		
TOTAL(BEEDI+CINE+LSD+IMC)		57050		
		2016-17:Health	2016-17:Education	
BEEDI	Patients Treated	3821	Beedi	146
	Schemes	1	LSD	73
BEEDI TOTAL		3822	IMC	2
CINE	Patients Treated	0	Cine	0
LSD & IMC		0	Total	221
TOTAL (BEEDI+CINE+LSD+IMC)		3822		
<b>Housing</b>				
Year	Scheme/Benefit	No. of Installments released		
2014-15	TYPE-2 Housing for Mine workers	3rd & final installments for 2 houses.		
2015-16	TYPE-2 Housing for Mine workers	NIL		
2016-17	TYPE-2 Housing for Mine workers	Nil		

Note: LSD= Limestone and dolomite, IMC: Iron, Manganese & Chrome Ore.

### **3. National Child Labour Project (NCLP) Scheme**

National Child Labour Project (NCLP) Scheme is being implemented for rehabilitation of children withdrawn from work. The NCLP Scheme is also implemented in the State of Andhra Pradesh. Under the Scheme, children rescued/withdrawn from work in the age group of 9-14 years are enrolled in the NCLP Special Training Centres, where they are provided with bridge education, vocational training, mid-day meal, stipend, health care, etc. before being mainstreamed into formal education system. Children in the age group of 5-8 years are directly linked to the formal educational system through a close coordination attempt with the Sarva Shiksha Abhiyan (SSA).

### **4. Dattopant Thengdi National Board for Workers Education & Development (DTNBWED), Nagpur (erstwhile Central Board for Workers Education)**

The Scheme of “Workers Education” is an umbrella scheme and conducting the programmes for creating awareness among the workers and educating the workers belonging to unorganized and rural sectors including the state of Andhra Pradesh. The controlling Ministry is Ministry of Labour & Employment, Government of India. During the year, the Board has conducted the programmes in Andhra Pradesh which are as under:-

Name of the State	Year	No. of Programmes Conducted	No. of Workers Trained
Andhra Pradesh (Vijayawada, Visakhapatnam)	2014-15	228	11852
	2015-16	451	17397
	2016-17	335	11503
	2017-18*	160	5803

\*upto Oct.2017

### **5. Employees’ Provident Fund Organisation (EPFO)**

The Government of India through the Employees Provident Fund Organisation (EPFO) provides for Provident Fund, Pension Schemes and Insurance Fund in factories/establishments employing twenty or more employees in industries mentioned in Schedule to the Act. For the construction of office building for Regional Office, EPFO Rajahmundry has been sanctioned with a cost Rs. 769.19 Lakhs. The total amount released upto 31.03.2017 is Rs. 299.61 Lakhs.

### **6. Employees’ State Insurance Corporation (ESIC)**

Employees State Insurance Corporation (ESIC) provides medical care and cash benefits in the case of sickness, maternity and employment injuries. One project namely ‘Renovation / Face-lifting of ESI Hospital Tirupati’ awarded before 2014-15 is going on. Till date Rs. 52.18 Cr. has been released for the project.

### **7. Grant-in-Aid Scheme for the welfare of Women Labour**

One Grant-in-aid Scheme was being sponsored by the Ministry, for the welfare of women labour. This Scheme, operational since Sixth Five Year Plan (1981-82) was administered through voluntary organisations by giving grant-in-aid to them for taking up action-oriented projects for the benefit of women labour. The grant (75% of the project cost) was released directly to the NGOs/VOs. The said GIA Scheme on Women labour has been discontinued from the year 2017-18.

**1. The amount of funds released by the Ministry towards the state of Andhra Pradesh for National Career Service (NCS).**

Rs. in Lakhs			
Name of Scheme	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17
NCS (Model Career Centres & + Interlinking of Employment Exchanges)	4.71	9.57	3428.78

**2. The details of welfare funds for Beedi, Cine and certain category of non-coal mine workers:**

Fund	Scheme/Benefit	2014-15:Health	2014-15: Education	
		Funds Utilised (Rs.)	Fund	Funds Utilised (Rs.)
BEEDI	Patient Treated	1141987	Beedi	0
	Schemes	4000	LSD	33840
BEEDI TOTAL		1145987	IMC	4140
CINE	Patients Treated	0	Cine	3100
LSD & IMC		0	Total	41080
TOTAL(BEEDI+CINE+LSD+IMC)		1145987		
		2015-16:Health	2015-16:Education	
BEEDI	Patients Treated	1051525	Beedi	25170
	Schemes	10800	LSD	29380
BEEDI TOTAL		1062325	IMC	4140
CINE	Patients Treated	0	Cine	8120
	Heart Disease	0	Total	66810
CINE-TOTAL		0		
LSD & IMC		0		
TOTAL(BEEDI+CINE+LSD+IMC)		1062325		
		2016-17:Health	2016-17:Education	
BEEDI	Patients Treated	128344	Beedi	349190
	Schemes	1000	LSD	867100
BEEDI TOTAL		129344	IMC	30000
CINE	Patients Treated	0	Cine	0
LSD & IMC		0	Total	1246290
TOTAL(BEEDI+CINE+LSD+IMC)		129344		
Year	Housing	Funds Utilised (Rs.)		
2014-15	TYPE-2 Housing for Mine workers	40000		
2015-16	TYPE-2 Housing for Mine workers	NIL		
2016-17	TYPE-2 Housing for Mine workers	NIL		

### 3. National Child Labour Project (NCLP)

The amount released to Andhra Pradesh since 2014-15 under NCLP Scheme is as under:-

Name of the State	Amount released (Rupees in lakh)			
Andhra Pradesh	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18
	143.33	196.58	213.01	129.79 (as on 27.12.2017)

### 4. Dattopant Thengdi National Board for Workers Education & Development (DTNBWED), Nagpur (erstwhile Central Board for Workers Education)

The amount of funds released by the Ministry towards the state of Andhra Pradesh:

(Rupees in Lakh)

Name of the State	Year	Fund released	Expenditure
Andhra Pradesh (Vijayawada Visakhapatnam)	2014-15	126.68	126.68
	2015-16	148.24	148.24
	2016-17	144.53	144.53
	2017-18*	88.70	88.70

\*up to Oct.2017

### 5. Employees' State Insurance Corporation (ESIC)

The details of funds released by ESI Corporation towards the state of Andhra Pradesh from 2014-15 onwards for Medical services are tabulated below:-

Financial Year	Funds released (in crores)
2014-15	75.47
2015-16	108.07
2016-17	73.37
2017-18	39.71 (for 1 <sup>st</sup> Quarter only)

### 6. Grant-in-Aid Scheme for the Welfare of Women Labour

The amount released to NGOs/VOs to the State of Andhra Pradesh under the Grant-in-aid Scheme since 2014-15 onwards is given below:

Name of NGOs/VOs	Sanction and released amount (Rs.)
Rural Urban Health Education Ecology Society, Annantpur, Andhra Pradesh	Rs.30,300/-(2 <sup>nd</sup> instalment of the approved amount of Rs. 1,21,200/-)

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