

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

LOK SABHA

**STARRED QUESTION NO. *333
TO BE ANSWERED ON 19.03.2018**

NSDC ONLINE PORTAL

***333. DR. PRITAM GOPINATH MUNDE:
SHRI VINAYAK BHAURAO RAUT:**

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

- (a) whether the data on the States' performance available with the Ministry shows that the National Skill Development Corporation (NSDC) has approved proposals from 35 States and assigned a target to skill 6,00,000 candidates in the first phase and if so, the details thereof;
- (b) whether skill training is yet to take off in many States even after two years and if so, the names of the States which are yet to start skill training along with the reasons for not starting the same;
- (c) whether State Governments blame NSDC for not allowing online registration for over six months and if so, the details thereof;
- (d) whether NSDC's online portal remained defunct for over six months, if so, the details thereof and the reasons therefor along with the action taken by the Union Government thereon; and
- (e) whether the State Governments alleged that there is still a need for clarity on training process, if so, the details thereof and the steps taken by the Union Government to resolve the issues raised by the State Governments promptly along with the details of funds made available to the State Governments so far?

ANSWER

**MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF
SKILL DEVELOPMENT AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP
(SHRI DHARMENDRA PRADHAN)**

- (a) to (e) A Statement is laid on the Table of the House.

**STATEMENT REFERRED IN REPLY TO PARTS (A) TO (E) OF LOK SABHA
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DR. PRITAM GOPINATH MUNDE AND SHRI VINAYAK BHAURAO RAUT
REGARDING 'NSDC ONLINE PORTAL'**

(a) and (b) Pradhan Mantri Kaushal Vikas Yojana (PMKVY) 2016-20 has two components known as Centrally Sponsored Centrally Managed (CSCM) being implemented by National Skill Development Corporation (NSDC) and Centrally Sponsored State Managed (CSSM) being implemented by State Skill Development Missions of the States/ UTs popularly known as State- Engagement Component of PMKVY (2016-20). Under CSSM component of PMKVY 2016-20, 25% of the funds and corresponding physical targets of PMKVY 2016-20 has been allocated to the States for the implementation of scheme through State Skill Development Missions.

The CSSM component of PMKVY 2016-20 was launched on 9.11.2016. After launching of the Scheme, Ministry invited all the States/UTs to submit their proposals in prescribed format as per guidelines. In response, over the period of time Ministry has received proposals from 35 States/UTs and after evaluation of proposals Ministry has in-principle approved the physical target of 20.15 lakh and financial target of 3,047 Cr. for 35 States/UTs for FY 2016-20. As on 14.03.2018, Rs. 498 Cr. has been disbursed to 34 States/UTs.

Under CSSM component of PMKVY 2016-20, as on 14.03.2018, out of 35 States/UTs, 17 states have commenced training activities. In these 17 States/UTs, 7,883 candidates have been enrolled. The remaining 18 States/UTs where trainings are yet to begin, the implementation is at various stages such as training provider empanelment, Centre Accreditation and Affiliation, Target Allocation etc. Further, NSDC has provided login access of Skill Development Management System (SDMS – MIS Platform) to 31 States/UTs.

(c) to (e) After notification of scheme guidelines, States/UTs have to undertake range of activities before commencement of the training activities. The entire cycle of project completes with empanelment of Training Providers/Training Centres, Centre accreditation and affiliation, allocation of targets, mobilization of candidates, enrollment, training, certification and placement. During this period, MSDE through NSDC provided the requisite hand-holding/mentoring support to the State Governments for quick and effective implementation of scheme.

Under Skill ecosystem, SMART portal was launched as a single window IT platform for accreditation, affiliation and continuous monitoring of training centres. The portal was temporarily inoperative for less than 10 days due to maintenance and incorporation of new process/functionality for the State Government under the CSSM component of PMKVY 2016-20. Now the portal is fully operational and States/UTs are on-boarded on it for smooth execution of skill training.
