

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

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**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 237
TO BE ANSWERED ON 05.02.2018**

POLICY FOR SKILL DEVELOPMENT AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP

237. SHRI A.P. JITHENDER REDDY:

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

- (a) the details of the percentage of schools in India where the skilling has been integrated with formal education as aspired under the National Policy for Skill Development and Entrepreneurship, 2015;
- (b) the details of the number of such integrated schools that are in Telangana; and
- (c) the details of the States which have the least number of such schools integrated with skilling under the Policy and reasons for the same?

ANSWER

**MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF
SKILL DEVELOPMENT AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP
(SHRI ANANTKUMAR HEGDE)**

(a) to (c) The National Policy for Skill Development and Entrepreneurship 2015 aims to integrate skilling with formal education from class nine onwards. The Department of School Education and Literacy is implementing the scheme of Vocationalisation of Secondary and Higher Secondary Education. The scheme seeks to integrate vocational education with general academic education with an aim to prepare educated, employable and competitive human resource for various sectors of the economy and the global market.

So far, 8227 schools have been approved under the scheme in 33 States/UTs and the scheme has been implemented in 6481 schools. In the state of Telangana, the Scheme has been approved in 192 schools and implemented in 120 schools. The state-wise list of number of schools where the Scheme has been approved and implemented is at **Annexure**.

The approvals under the Scheme depend upon the proposals received from the States/UTs in respect of the approvals granted in previous years and the funds available etc. The proposals are considered as per the norms of the scheme.

Annexure

Annexure referred to in reply to LSUQ No. 237 on POLICY FOR SKILL DEVELOPMENT AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP raised by SHRI A.P. JITHENDER REDDY, to be answered on 05.02.2018.

S. No.	State/UT	Number of Schools Approved	Number of Schools Implemented
1	A & N	21	17
2	Andhra Pradesh	206	126
3	Arunachal Pradesh	99	21
4	Assam	252	152
5	Bihar	38	0
6	Chandigarh	14	14
7	Chhattisgarh	491	391
8	D N H	4	2
9	Daman & Diu	5	0
10	Delhi	22	22
11	Goa	78	78
12	Gujarat	20	0
13	Haryana	1001	990
14	Himachal Pradesh	873	850
15	J & K	352	132
16	Jharkhand	215	160
17	Karnataka	100	100
18	Kerala	20	0
19	Lakshadweep	0	0
20	Madhya Pradesh	626	626
21	Maharashtra	516	479
22	Manipur	42	42
23	Meghalaya	13	0
24	Mizoram	14	11
25	Nagaland	11	10
26	Odisha	314	208
27	Puducherry	0	0
28	Punjab	780	400
29	Rajasthan	720	720
30	Sikkim	121	121
31	Tamil Nadu	67	0
32	Telangana	192	120
33	Tripura	0	0
34	Uttar Pradesh	200	189
35	Uttarakhand	200	0
36	West Bengal	600	500
	Total	8227	6481
