GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF SKILL DEVELOPMENT AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP

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HOSTELS FOR YOUNGESTERS

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

- (a) the total number of Pradhan Mantri Skill Development Centres being run across the country at present along with the details thereof, State/District-wise;
- (b) whether the Government is considering to set up hostels for the youngsters coming for training from rural areas;
- (c) if so, the details thereof; and
- (d) whether there is any scheme for giving priority to the skilled youngsters in Government and private sector jobs and if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

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

(a) Pradhan Mantri Kaushal Vikas Yojana (PMKVY) does not mandate establishment of Skill development centres but enables large number of prospective youth for taking Short Term Training (STT) and Recognition of Prior Learning (RPL) through accredited and affiliated training centers (TCs) throughout the country.

Under the PMKVY 2015-16, about 13,000 Training Centres were involved for imparting skill training. However, under PMKVY 2016-20, the registration of TC is being done under single window IT application known as SMART. Under PMKVY 2016-20, as on 29.01.2018, about 7,549 TCs are operational. The State/UT-wise number of operational training centres are given at **Annexure-I**.

- (b) and (c) PMKVY 2016-2020 does not mandate setting up of skill center hostel for training. However, there is a provision for boarding and lodging payout in case of residential training. The payouts are made directly to the training provider as per the guideline. Boarding and lodging allowance is provided for the candidate under the following condition:
 - Candidates from J&K. North East has moved out of the region for training
 - Candidates from LWE region has moved outside from district for training
 - Candidates residing in special areas have moved out of the region
 - Payout be made to the PwD candidates undertaking residential courses irrespective of training
- (d) Under PMKVY (2016-20), industries are actively participating as training partner/centre in training-cum-placement activities of the country. Scheme incentivises TCs for facilitating placement of the trained/skilled candidates. TCs are mandated to organise placement/Rozgar Mela and to ensure participation of local industry with the diverse sector of the country. Till now, 5.4 lakh candidates have been placed in various sectors under PMKVY.

Annexure-I

State/UT-wise number of Operational Training Centers under PMKVY 2016-20 is as under:

S. No.	State/UT	No. of Operational TCs
1.	Andhra Pradesh	148
2.	Arunachal Pradesh	140
3.	Assam	118
4.	Bihar	249
5.	Chandigarh	15
6.	Chhattisgarh	87
7.	Delhi	239
8.	Goa	4
9.	Gujarat	136
10.	Haryana	791
11.	Himachal Pradesh	75
12.	Jammu and Kashmir	166
13.	Jharkhand	89
14.	Karnataka	119
15.	Kerala	149
16.	Madhya Pradesh	675
17.	Maharashtra	214
18.	Manipur	12
19.	Meghalaya	9
20.	Nagaland	7
21.	Odisha	198
22.	Puducherry	12
23.	Punjab	457
24.	Rajasthan	1145
25.	Sikkim	5
26.	Tamil Nadu	432
27.	Telangana	182
28.	Tripura	31
29.	Uttar Pradesh	1465
30.	Uttarakhand	104
31.	West Bengal	215
	Grand Total	7549
