

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

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**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 5578
TO BE ANSWERED ON 02.04.2018**

**SKILL DEVELOPMENT TO SELF-EMPLOYMENT IN
NE STATES**

†5578. **SHRI NABA KUMAR SARANIA:**

**WILL THE MINISTER OF SKILL DEVELOPMENT AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP
be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether the Government has launched any scheme to promote self-employment through skill development in the North-Eastern States and if so, the details thereof, State-wise;
- (b) the number of unemployed youth imparted training under these schemes in Assam and the details thereof, district-wise including Kokrajhar; and
- (c) the number of youth provided employment, district-wise?

ANSWER

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

(a) to (c) Ministry of Skill Development and Entrepreneurship is implementing Capacity Building scheme for skilling of unemployed youth of North Eastern region in various sectors. The scheme aims to provide funding for skill development, enhancing of employability and competencies, and promotion of self-employment and entrepreneurships. Under the scheme, skill development courses are aligned to NSQF and payout to TPs to be disbursed as per the common norms. Under the scheme, as on 20.02.2018, 5,318 candidates have been trained including undergoing training across districts of NE States including Kokrajhar district of Assam. Training Centers have to provide placements to at least 50% of the successfully certified candidates within 90 days of the certification, with at least 50% of the total placed candidates in wage employment. Out of 2051 certified candidates in NE States, 1,101 candidates have been placed.

Additionally, under Pradhan Mantri Kaushal Vikas Yojana (PMKVY-2016-20), skill training (Fresh Short Term Training and Recognition of Prior Learning (RPL)) is being provided to the prospective youth of the country including North Eastern States. Under PMKVY 2016-20, as on 26.03.2018, 91,753 (57,628 STT + 34,125 RPL) candidates have been trained including undergoing training in NE States including Assam. The placement data is reported within 90 days of certification of trained candidate. Out of 28,454 certified candidates under STT in NE States, 9,853 candidates have been placed under various sectors.
