

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

**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 5693
TO BE ANSWERED ON 02.04.2018**

SKILL DEVELOPMENT TRAINING FOR BEEDI WORKERS

5693. SHRI JOSE K. MANI:

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

- (a) whether the Government is implementing / proposes to implement any scheme to provide skill development training for alternative livelihoods to people involved in beedi industry; and**
(b) if so, the details thereof along with the number of people benefited thereunder, State/UT-wise?

ANSWER

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

(a) & (b): This Ministry has initiated a Skill Development Programme for Beedi Workers and their dependants for alternative jobs/livelihoods and enhancing their income. State/UT-wise details of the beneficiaries is at Annexure-A.

ANNEXURE-A

**STATUS OF SKILL DEVELOPMENT OF BEEDI WORKERS AND THEIR
DEPENDANTS AS ON 31-12-2017**

Region	No. of Training Batches Started Till 31-12-2017		No. of Training Batches Completed Till 31-12-2017		No. of Training Batches Continued Beyond 31-12-2017		Placement Provided Till 31-12-2017	
	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
Ahmedabad	1	20	0	0	1	20	0	0
Ajmer	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Allahabad	7	51	1	2	6	49	0	0
Bengaluru	5	129	0	0	5	129	0	0
Bhubaneswar	26	377	18	298	8	79	10	64
Guwahati	1	36	1	36	0	0	0	1
Hyderabad	6	41	0	0	6	41	0	0
Jabalpur	18	436	1	2	17	427 #	0	0
Kannur	3	35	2	10	0*	0	3	3
Kolkata	14	292	11	182	3	145	0	12
Nagpur	3	63	0	0	3	58^	0	0
Patna	7	48	1	3	6	45	2	1
Raipur	8	175	8	175	0	0	34	0
Ranchi	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tirunelveli	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	99	1703	43	708	55	995	49	81

^ 5 Trainees dropped out without completing training

*1 batch of 25 trainees dropped out without completing training

7 Trainees dropped out without completing training
