

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

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**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3002
TO BE ANSWERED ON 06.08.2018**

POLYTECHNICS UNDER SKILL DEVELOPMENT IN MAHARASHTRA

3002. SHRI RAJAN VICHARE:

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

- (a) the number of polytechnics established in the State of Maharashtra under the National Skill Development Mission, district-wise;
- (b) whether the Government proposes to collaborate with overseas educational institutions to bring improvement in the quality of education;
- (c) if so, the details thereof; and
- (d) if not, the reasons therefor?

ANSWER

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

(a) A scheme "Setting up of New Polytechnics" under the "Sub-Mission on Polytechnics under Coordinated Action for Skill Development" was launched during the 11th Plan. The scheme was transferred from Ministry of Human Resource Development to this Ministry in the year 2017. Under the scheme, Government of India provides one-time financial assistance upto Rs.12.30 crores per polytechnic to the State/ UT Governments for setting up of new Government polytechnics in 300 un-served and under-served districts of the country including districts in the State of Maharashtra. The number of polytechnics being established under the scheme in the State of Maharashtra, district-wise is as under:

S. No.	Name of the district	No. of polytechnics
1.	Akola	01
2.	Hingoli	01
	Total	02

(b) to (d) The polytechnics are continuously encouraged to adopt and implement best international practices for improving the quality of skill training.
