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MINISTRY OF SKILL DEVELOPMENT AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP
LOK SABHA
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SHORT TERM TRAINING FOR WOMEN

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

- (a) the details of short term training programmes that are available for women across the country;
- (b) the number of women who have completed their vocational training during last 4 years and were given wage employment in the industries Training/Institution and year wise; and
- (c) whether the government has proposed opening of more Training institution in all the industrial hubs including Belagavi district of Karnataka and if so, the details there of ?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SKILL DEVELOPMENT AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP

(SHRI RAJEEV CHANDRASEKHAR)

- (a) Under Skill India Mission, the Ministry of Skill Development and Entrepreneurship (MSDE) delivers short term skills through various programmes to all the sections of the society across the country including women as mentioned below:

Pradhan Mantri Kaushal Vikas Yojana (PMKVY): It is the flagship Scheme of MSDE with an objective to impart short duration skill development training and certification to youth and to make them employable for better livelihood across the country. PMKVY has two training components, namely, Short Term Training (STT) and Recognition of Prior Learning (RPL). The placement opportunities are being provided to STT certified candidates, while RPL is not linked with placements as it recognizes the existing skills of candidates. In order to increase the participation of women, conveyance cost and boarding & lodging facilities are being provided to them.

Jan Shikshan Sansthan (JSS): Under JSS scheme of MSDE skill training is imparted skills to non-literate, neo-literates, and persons with rudimentary level of education upto 8th standard and school dropouts upto 12th standard in the age group of 15-45 years in rural and urban areas. Under the scheme, focus is being given to women and other vulnerable sections. JSS scheme is implemented through NGOs with 100% lump-sum grant from the Government of India on annual basis.

- (b) The number of women trained under various Schemes/Programme of MSDE during last four years i.e. from 2018-19 to 2021-22, is as under:

S. No.	Name of The Scheme	2018-19	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22
1	PMKVY	840325	1861063	878111	305219
2	JSS	148235	354135	297899	385242

Amongst the schemes of the MSDE, placements are specifically tracked under PMKVY. Under PMKVY, 38.84lakh women candidates have been trained during 2018-19 to 2021-22, out of which 8.68lakh have been reported placed.

As per the third party evaluation reports of other said schemes, there is success in terms of placement or enhancement of income of candidates trained. As far as the employment of the JSS scheme beneficiaries is concerned, third party evaluation report of the scheme has observed that as an impact of the training programme conducted at JSSs, the self and wage employment and private job have become evident. The usefulness of the scheme is further evident from the fact that same report has mentioned that 77.05% of the beneficiary trainees have undergone occupational shifts.

(b) Under PMKVY, in Belagavi district of Karnataka, 2 Pradhan Mantri Kaushal Kendras (PMKKs) have already been set up. In JSS, there is no Centre in Belagavi district of Karnataka and also no proposal for opening such centre is pending.
