## GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF HEAVY INDUSTRIES LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3276 ANSWERED ON 21.03.2023.

## SKILL DEVELOPMENT OF EMPLOYEES IN CG INDUSTRY

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Will the Minister of **HEAVY INDUSTRIES** भारी उद्योग मंत्री be pleased to state:

- (a) the investments made for skill development of employees in the Capital Goods (CG) industry under the scheme for Enhancement of Competitiveness in the Capital Goods Sector Phase II in various States particularly in Maharashtra and Odisha;
- (b) the number of individuals trained under the scheme so far in Maharashtra, Odisha and other States during the year 2022-23;
- (c) the details of the programmes and the curricula put to use;
- (d) whether the Union Government has fixed any targets for skill development of employees in the capital goods industry sector in the country; and
- (e) if so, the details thereof and the steps taken by the Government in this regard?

## **ANSWER**

## THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR HEAVY INDUSTRIES (SHRI KRISHAN PAL GURJAR)

(a): Scheme for Enhancement of Competitiveness in the Indian Capital Goods Sector is pan India demand driven scheme under which proposals can be submitted from any UTs/ States of the country.

Under the Scheme, Ministry of Heavy Industries has sanctioned following projects for promotion of Skilling:

- (i) Development of 23 Qualification Packs by Automotive Skills Development Council (ASDC) for the automotive sector with project cost of Rs 2.838 crores;
- (ii) Development of 23 Qualification Packs by Capital Goods Skill Council for the Capital Goods sector with project cost of Rs 2.99 crores;
- (iii) Common Engineering Facilities Centre (CEFC) at WRI, Trichy- BHEL for imparting skilling in Advanced Welding Technologies with project cost of Rs. 87.06 crores.

(b): The number of individuals trained by BHEL during the year 2022-23 (as on date) under the Scheme is as under:

Tamil Nadu		Uttar Pradesh	Total
Trichy	Ranipet	Varanasi	
1552	32	88	1,642

(c): The curricula used by BHEL for training is as given below:

NSQF Levels 3-6 in welding. The curriculum is designed by Welding Research Institute of BHEL-Trichy with hands on training for major part of the programme backed by theory classes which include basics of welding power sources, safety, welding consumables, welding procedure specification, procedure qualification record, power source maintenance.

- (d): No such target has been fixed by the Ministry of Heavy Industries for skill development of employees in the capital goods industry under Scheme for Enhancement of Competitiveness in the Indian Capital Goods Sector- Phase II.
- (e): Does not arise in view of (d) above.

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