GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF SKILL DEVELOPMENT AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO -† 519 ANSWERED ON – 06/02/2023

CORPORATE SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY

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SHRI VIJAY BAGHEL:

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

(a) the amount of funds spent by the Government undertakings under the control of Union Government under Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) for Skill Development and Certification programme during the financial years 2019-20, 2020-21, 2021-22;

(b) the amount of funds spent by these undertakings through Government organizations and Non-Governmental Organisations separately; and

(c) the amount-wise provision made for the State of Chhattisgarh by these undertakings themselves and by Union Government under the CSR head of these Government undertakings?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SKILL DEVELOPMENT AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP

(SHRI RAJEEV CHANDRASEKHAR)

(a) The broad framework for Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) has beenprovided under section 135 of the Companies Act, 2013 ('Act'), formulated and enacted by Ministry of Corporate Affairs (MCA), Government of India. Theeligible activities that can be undertaken by the companies including Public Sector Undertakings (PSUs), as CSR also includes 'livelihood enhancement projects' and 'vocational skills'.

On the basis of filling made by the companies in MCA 21 registryup to 30.09.2022, the CSR expenditure made by PSUs on "Vocational Skills" and "Livelihood Enhancement Projects" during financial year 2019-20 and 2020-21 are as follows:

		[Amounts in Cr.]
Development Sector	2019-20	2020-21
Vocational Skills	325.55	115.66
Livelihood Enhancement Projects	72.01	42.81
Total	397.56	158.47

Source: National CSR Data Portal.

Further, the CSR expenditure data for FY 2021-22 is not available yet as the companies are required to file CSR details for FY 2021-22 on or before 31.03.2023.

(b) Ministry of Corporate Affairs, Government of India does not maintain such type of data.

(c) On the basis of filling made by the companies in MCA 21registry up to 30.09.2022, the CSR expenditure made by PSUs in the State of Chhattisgarh on "Vocational Skills" and "Livelihood Enhancement Projects" during financial year 2019-20 and 2020-21 are as follows

			[Amount in crore]
Development	t Sector	2019-20	2020-21
Vocational Skills		1.48	2.01
Livelihood	Enhancement	0.15	0.95
Projects			
Total		1.63	2.96

Source: National CSR Data Portal.

Further, the CSR expenditure data for FY 2021-22 is not available yet as the companies are required to file CSR details for FY 2021-22 on or before 31.03.2023.
