GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF PLANNING

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION No. 2215 TO BE ANSWERED ON 02.08.2023

SKILL REQUIREMENTS

2215. SHRI VIJAYAKUMAR ALIAS VIJAY VASANTH:

Will the Minister of PLANNING be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Union Government and NITI Aayog are contemplating to ascertain the skill related requirements and lack of technical and skill training in the country;
- (b) if so, the details of the different sectors under various Ministries identified for the purpose;
- (c) whether it is a fact that the 68th National Sample Survey round has identified that more than 12 crore workers would enter into the Skill market by the year 2024 and will need to upgrade and upscale skill training in the country; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof along with the measures taken by the Union Government in this regard?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) OF THE MINISTRY OF STATISTICS AND PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION; MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) OF THE MINISTRY OF PLANNING AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CORPORATE AFFAIRS

(RAO INDERJIT SINGH)

(a) & (b) Under Skill India Mission, Ministry of Skill Development & Entrepreneurship (MSDE) ascertains and delivers skilling, upskilling and re-skilling through various schemes viz. Pradhan Mantri Kaushal Vikas Yojana (PMKVY), Jan Sikhshan Sansthan (JSS), National Apprenticeship Promotion Scheme (NAPS) and Craftsman Training Scheme (CTS) through Industrial Training Institutes (ITIs), to all the sections of the society in the country across 37 broad sectors namely (i) Aerospace and Aviation; (ii) Agriculture; (iii) Apparels; (iv) Automotive; (v) Beauty & Wellness; (vi) Banking, Financial Services & Insurance (BFSI); (vii) Capital Goods; (viii) Construction; (ix) Domestic Workers; (x) Electronics & Hardware; (xi) Food Processing; (xii) Furniture & Fittings; (xiii) Gems & Jewellery; (xiv) Green Jobs; (xv) Handicrafts; (xvi) Healthcare; (xvii) Hydrocarbon; (xviii) Infrastructure Equipment; (xix) Iron & Steel; (xx) Instrumentation Automation Surveillance

& Communication; (xxi) IT-ITes; (xxii) Leather; (xxiii) Life Sciences; (xxiv) Logistics; (xxv) Management; (xxvi) Media; (xxvii) Mining; (xxviii) Painting & Coating; (xxix) Persons with Disability; (xxx) Plumbing; (xxxi) Power; (xxxii) Retail; (xxxiii) Rubber; (xxxiv) Sports; (xxxv) Telecom; (xxxvi) Textiles & Handlooms; and (xxxvii) Tourism & Hospitality.

NITI Aayog brought out a report in June 2022 on 'India's Booming Gig and Platform Economy: Perspectives and Recommendations on the Future of Work' which, inter-alia, highlighted the job creation potential of the gig and platform economy. NITI Aayog's study 'Transforming Industrial Training Institutes' provides a set of recommendations to further transform the ITI ecosystem to ensure a steady flow of skilled personnel.

(c) & (d) No such data has been collected in 68th round of National Sample Survey.
