

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

**LOK SABHA**

**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1773  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 02.03.2020**

**PRIVATE SECTOR IN SKILL TRAINING**

**1773. SHRI FEROZE VARUN GANDHI:**

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

- (a) whether there is any participation of the private sectors in the skill training programmes that bring in the perspective of employer's needs;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the details of the educational background of the people enrolled in skill development programmes?

**ANSWER**

**MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF  
SKILL DEVELOPMENT AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP  
(SHRI R. K. SINGH)**

(a) and (b) Ministry of Skill Development and Entrepreneurship is implementing the demand driven scheme, Pradhan Mantri Kaushal Vikas Yojana (PMKVY) 2016-20 for short duration skill development training (Short-Term Training (STT) and Recognition of Prior Learning (RPL)) in the country. In order to bring the perspective of employer's needs, Sector Skill Councils (SSCs), which are industry-led bodies, have been made responsible for defining the skilling needs, concept, processes, certification, and accreditation of their respective industry sectors in accordance with National Skill Qualification Framework (NSQF).

Additionally, under STT component of PMKVY (2016-20), an Employer led model has been envisaged to impart training which is placement linked and directly addresses the industry needs. Under this model proposals are invited either by employers directly or by consortium between employer with new/existing well performing training provider for enhanced employer participation. Currently, 90+ Training Provider have been allocated target of 70,000+ under the employer led mode under PMKVY (2016-2020)

(c) Under PMKVY (2016-20), the educational background of the candidate enrolled varies from uneducated to post graduate.

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