

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

LOK SABHA

**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1026
TO BE ANSWERED ON 08.02.2021**

NATIONAL POLICY FOR SKILL DEVELOPMENT AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP

1026. SHRI MANOJ KOTAK:

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

- (a) whether any evaluation of Skill Development Scheme has been conducted by third party agency as envisaged in the National Policy for Skill Development and Entrepreneurship;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether any study has been done to determine that the skilled person under PMKVY get good wages in India and abroad; and
- (d) if so, details thereof?

ANSWER

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

(a) & (b): Yes, Sir. As envisaged in the National Policy for Skill Development and Entrepreneurship 2015, the Ministry of Skill Development and Entrepreneurship has been undertaking regular monitoring and evaluation of its various schemes / initiatives for any necessary corrective measures. Details of agencies to whom third party evaluation of Central Sector Schemes have been assigned are given below:

Sl. No.	Name of the Scheme	Name of Agency undertaking the evaluation
1.	Pradhan Mantri Kaushal Vikas Yojana (PMKVY)	Indian Institute of Public Administration, New Delhi
2.	Jan Shikshan Sansthan	
3.	Up-gradation of 1396 Government Industrial Training Institutes (ITIs) through Public- Private Partnership	
4.	Skill Development in 47 Districts Affected by Left Wing Extremism	
5.	National Apprenticeship Promotion Scheme	National Productivity Council, New Delhi
6.	Up-gradation of existing Govt. ITIs into Model ITIs	
7.	Enhancing Skill Development Infrastructure in North Eastern States	National Institute of Labour Economics Research and Development, New Delhi

(c) & (d): NSDC had engaged Sambodhi Research and Communications to conduct a third-party impact evaluation of PMKVY 2.0. The objective of the Study was to evaluate the impact of PMKVY Short Term Trainings (STT) and Recognition of Prior Learning (RPL). The Sambodhi Study found that the mean monthly income of individuals trained and certified under PMKVY 2.0 – STT was 15 percent higher when compared to a comparison group of individuals who has not participated in PMKVY. Further, the average monthly income of RPL-certified individuals was found to be 19 percent higher than that of a comparison group of non-RPL certified individuals.
