

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF SKILL DEVELOPMENT AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP
LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3148
TO BE ANSWERED ON 15.03.2021
TRAINING FOR DAIRY INDUSTRY

†3148. **SHRI AJAY BHATT:**

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

- (a) whether training for dairy industry is imparted under the Ministry of Skill Development and Entrepreneurship;
- (b) if so, the duration of the said training along with the number of people who have been imparted training so far;
- (c) whether the Government is running any programme for entrepreneurship development in the dairy sector; and
- (d) the percentage of people who get employment opportunities after training for skill development?

ANSWER

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

(a) to (d) The Ministry of Skill Development and Entrepreneurship (MSDE), through the Pradhan Mantri Kaushal Vikas Yojana (PMKVY) 2.0 (2016-2020) has imparted training across 37 sectors including Agriculture sector and Food Processing sector covering dairy farming/processing related job roles. As of 19.01.2021, the number of candidates trained /oriented in dairy farming/ processing related job roles is 61,943, comprising 14,223 candidates under Short Term Training (STT) and Special Projects (SP) components, and 47,720 candidates under Recognition of Prior Learning (RPL) component. Of the 14,223 candidates trained under STT and SP components, 13,606 candidates (or 95%) have been reported placed or self-employed. There is no mandate for placement in respect of RPL-oriented candidates. The training duration of various job roles are specified in the respective model curriculum of Qualification Packs.

Further, under the fee-based model of the National Skill Development Corporation, 30,291 trainings and 8,687 placements have been done in the job roles of Dairy Farmer/ Entrepreneur and Dairy Worker during the period 2018-19 to 2020-21 (till February, 2021).

In order to inculcate entrepreneurship skills in the candidates for establishing business, the PMKVY scheme has a mandatory provision for training under 155 hours of an English, Employability & Entrepreneurship (EEE) module, besides the core curriculum of the course. Further, Training Providers provide support to the candidates for entrepreneurship development by facilitating bank linkages along with providing guidance and mentoring support.
