

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF PORTS, SHIPPING AND WATERWAYS
LOK SABHA
STARRED QUESTION NO. *141
TO BE ANSWERED ON 29TH JULY, 2021

MoU FOR SKILL DEVELOPMENT IN SHIPPING INDUSTRY

*141. SHRI MOHAMMED FAIZAL P.P.:
SHRI BENNY BEHANAN:

Will the Minister of PORTS, SHIPPING AND WATERWAYS be pleased to state:

पत्तन, पोत परिवहन और जलमार्ग मंत्री

- (a) the details of the Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) entered into with the Ministry of Skill Development and Entrepreneurship for skilling, re-skilling and upskilling of manpower in the shipping industry;
- (b) whether any measures have been implemented under the MoU, till date;
- (c) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor;
- (d) the number of persons who have received training for skilling, re-skilling and upskilling under the MoU, till date;
- (e) the number and details of shipping cabins developed to deploy remote training under the MoU; and
- (f) the details of allocations and disbursements for the purposes of the MoU, till date?

ANSWER

MINISTER FOR PORTS, SHIPPING AND WATERWAYS
(SHRI SARBANANDA SONOWAL)

(a) to (f) A statement is laid on the Table of the House.

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) TO (f) OF LOK SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO. *141 TO BE ANSWERED ON 29th JULY, 2021 RAISED BY SHRI MOHAMMED FAIZAL P.P. AND SHRI BENNY BEHANAN REGARDING "MoU FOR SKILL DEVELOPMENT IN SHIPPING INDUSTRY".

(a) Ministry of Ports, Shipping and Waterways (MoPSW) has signed an MoU with Ministry of Skill Development and Entrepreneurship (MSDE) on 20th August 2020 to jointly undertake the skill development and to harness the innate capabilities in Ports & Maritime sector and enhance their capacities and skills to deal with the rapidly changing competition and provide for port led prosperity as per the objectives of Sagarmala Programme and Pradhan Mantri Kaushal Vikas Yojana (PMKVY).

MoU establishes a framework of collaboration between MoPSW and MSDE. Additionally, MoPSW has also signed another MoU with Ministry of Rural Development (MoRD) in May 2017 for skill development in maritime sector on convergence mode of Deen Dayal Upadhyay-Grameen Kaushalya Yojana (DDU- GKY) and Sagarmala.

(b) & (c) Multi Skill Development Centre (MSDC) is already operational at Jawaharlal Nehru Port Trust (JNPT) and Chennai Port Trust (ChPT). MoPSW has identified setting up of MSDC at Vishakhapatnam Port Trust for various skill development programmes. Total 57 Qualification Packs (QPs) have already been developed and implemented under DDU-GKY Sagarmala convergence programme. It is planned further to develop 10 Qualification Packs (QPs) under the MoU signed between MoPSW and MSDE. Apart from MSDCs in Major Ports, several skill development centres have been setup through Project Implementing Agencies (PIAs).

(d) Under the DDU-GKY & Sagarmala convergence and Pradhan Mantri Kaushal Vikas Yojana (PMKVY), total of 3622 number of persons have received training for skilling, reskilling and upskilling. Details of trainings is provided as **Annexure I**.

(e) The COVID-19 has affected the implementation of skill development program. Shipping cabins may be developed based on demand, once the pandemic situation is over.

(f) Since the commencement of skill development training programs, Rs. 58.98 Cr. funds has been sanctioned and Rs.22.62 Cr. fund has already been released to States under the DDU-GKY & Sagarmala convergence. In addition to this, the MSDCs at Chennai and JNPT have spent Rs. 50.47 Lakhs. Details of DDU- GKY & Sagarmala Coverage program and expenditure details of MSDCs provided as **Annexure II**.

Annexure I

Details of Persons trained at JNPT (since inception i.e June, 2019)

S. No	Course / Year	Trained
1	Heavy Motor Vehicle	115
2	Warehouser Packer	40
3	Consignment Booking Assistant	295
4	Consignment Tracking Executive	187
5	Documentation Assistant	174
6	Inventory clerk	155
7	Warehouse Picker	88
	Total	1054

Details of Persons trained at ChPT(since inception i.e September, 2019)

S. No	Course / Year	Trained
1	Consignment Booking Assistant	72
2	Warehouse Quality Checker	83
	Total	155

Details of Persons trained in Phase I of Sagarmala-DDU-GKY convergence programme

S. No.	State	Trained
1	Andhra Pradesh	40
2	Karnataka	320
3	Maharashtra	981
4	Odisha	388
5	Tamil Nadu	249
	Grand Total	1978

Details of Persons trained in Phase II of Sagarmala-DDU-GKY convergence programme

S.No	State	Trained
1	Andhra Pradesh	219
2	Tamil Nadu	139
3	Kerala	77
	Grand Total	435

Details of Funding under DDU-GKY & Sagamala Coverage Programme

Sr. No.	State	Funds sanctioned (Rs)	Fund released (Rs)
1	Gujarat	10,85,58,225	3,61,86,075
2	Maharashtra	15,10,58,461	4,27,21,432
3	Andhra Pradesh	5,98,17,365	5,98,17,365
4	Tamil Nadu	10,67,39,304	2,41,82,308
5	Kerala	4,80,00,980	1,60,00,327
6	West Bengal	6,32,45,734	2,10,81,911
7	Karnataka	1,52,00,000	76,37,000
8	Odisha	3,72,06,184	1,86,03,092
	Grand Total	58,98,26,253	22,62,29,510

Details of disbursements by MSDCs

Sr No.	Implementing Agencies	Details of Disbursements / Expenditure (Rs)
1	Jawaharlal Nehru Port Trust	41,37,929
2	Chennai Port Trust	9,10,000
	Total	50,47,929
