

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT
DEPARTMENT OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT

LOK SABHA
STARRED QUESTION NO. 326
ANSWERED ON 21/12/2021

EMPLOYMENT UNDER DDU-GKY

*326. SHRI SUSHIL KUMAR SINGH:

Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the employment under Deen Dayal Upadhyaya Grameen Kaushal Yojana (DDU-GKY) has fallen following the onset of COVID;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) the reasons for the fall in employment rate; and
- (d) the efforts being made by the Government to increase the employment under DDU-GKY?

ANSWER
MINISTER OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT
(SHRI GIRIRAJ SINGH)

(a) to (d): A Statement is laid on the table of the House.

Statement referred to in reply to Parts (a) to (d) of Lok Sabha Starred Question No. *326 due for answer on 21.12.2021

(a) to (c) Due to surge in COVID-19 and subsequent lockdowns, all economic activities were impacted including training and placement under DDU-GKY. The number of candidates trained and placed under DDUGKY during last three years and the current year are given below:

Financial Year 18-19		Financial Year 19-20		Financial Year 20-21		Financial Year 21-22 till Nov'21	
Trained	Placed	Trained	Placed	Trained	Placed	Trained	Placed
241509	137251	247177	150214	38289	49563	23186	22067

(d) Under DDU-GKY various awareness campaigns, job fairs and meetings of Chief Executive Officers of Companies/Employers have been undertaken by States and UTs for improvement in placement of trained candidates.
