GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.1081

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UNEMPLOYED YOUTH OF SCs, STs AND OBCs

1081. SMT. DHANORKAR PRATIBHA SURESH:

Will the Minister of LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the unemployed youth belonging to Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes and Other Backward Classes have benefitted from Make in India and Skill India schemes; and
- (b) if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE FOR LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT (SUSHRI SHOBHA KARANDLAJE)

(a) to (b): 'Make in India' is an initiative which was launched across India on 25th September, 2014 to facilitate investment, foster innovation, build best in class infrastructure, and make India a hub for manufacturing, design, and innovation. It is one of the unique 'Vocal for Local' initiatives that promoted India's manufacturing domain to the world. At present, Make in India 2.0 focuses on 27 sectors implemented across various Ministries/ Departments and State Governments. Further, the information on number of persons benefitted, works/ activities undertaken etc. is not centrally maintained.

Under the Government of India's Skill India Mission (SIM), the Ministry of Skill Development and Entrepreneurship (MSDE) delivers skill, re-skill and up-skill training through various schemes, viz. Pradhan Mantri Kaushal Vikas Yojana (PMKVY), Jan Sikhshan Sansthan (JSS), National Apprenticeship Promotion Scheme (NAPS) and Craftsman Training Scheme (CTS) through Industrial Training Institutes (ITIs), to all the sections of the society across the country. The total number of candidates including SCs, STs & OBCs trained under the said skill development schemes is about 1.60 crore during the last four year 2019-20 to 2022-23.
