

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF SKILL DEVELOPMENT AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP
LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.1143
ANSWERED ON 02.12.2024

CREATING JOBS IN NON-AGRICULTURAL SECTOR

†1143.SMT. BHARTI PARDHI:

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

- (a) whether there is a need to create eight million jobs every year in the non-agricultural sector by 2030 in order to meet the need of rising manpower in Indian economy;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether only four per cent of young workforce between 15-29 years is formally skilled;
- (d) if so, whether the advance skill development programmes are extremely required in such scenario;
- (e) if so, whether necessary fund have been provided to bridge this gap; and
- (f) if not, the steps taken by the Government to provide the required funds to impart skill development training to the workforce in order to meet up the needs of skilled workforce?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) IN THE MINISTRY OF SKILL DEVELOPMENT AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP

(SHRI JAYANT CHAUDHARY)

(a & b): As per the Economic Survey 2023-24, Indian economy needs to generate an average of nearly 78.5 lakh jobs annually until 2030 in the non-farm sector to cater to the rising workforce.

(c) As per the latest Periodic Labour Force Survey (PLFS 2023-24) estimates, percentage of persons of age 15-29 years who received vocational/technical training was 26.1%, which includes 4.9 % who received the formal training.

(d) Skill development is one of the priorities of the Government, as an enabler to the economic growth of the country as well as to improve employability of youth of the nation. 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 an extensive network of skill development centres / institutes under 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 including non-agricultural sector. The SIM aims at enabling youth of India to get future ready and equipped with industry relevant skills.

(e & f) For implementation of PMKVY, JSS and NAPS, necessary funds are provided through the Budget. Details of the funds released under these schemes in the last 3 years and current year is as under:

(Amount in Rs. Crore)

Name of Scheme	Total Fund Released			
	FY 2021-22	FY 2022-23	FY 2023-24	FY 2024-25
PMKVY (2021-22 to 31st Oct. 2024)	475.61	173.99	710.88	646.39
JSS (2021-22 to 10 th November, 2024)	137.64	154.66	154.38	35.66
NAPS (2021-22 to 31st Oct.2024)	241.60	335.67	632.82	212.79

Day-to-day administration as well as financial control in respect of ITIs lies with the respective State Government/Union Territory Administration.
