

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT
DEPARTMENT OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT**

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2399
ANSWERED ON 10/12/2024**

RURAL SELF EMPLOYMENT TRAINING INSTITUTE SCHEME

2399. SHRI CHAVDA VINOD LAKHAMSHI:

Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT

- (a) whether the Government is implementing the Rural Self Employment Training Institutes (RSETI) Scheme as a sub-scheme of National Rural Livelihood Mission (NRLM) in Gujarat, particularly in the districts of Bhuj, Abdasa, Gandhidham, Rapar, Mandvi and Anjar of Kutch Lok Sabha Constituency, if so, the details thereof;**
- (b) whether skill and entrepreneurship development training is being provided free of cost to rural poor youth, if so, the details thereof; and**
- (c) whether the principles of social inclusion have been adequately observed keeping in view the welfare of marginalised sections, particularly SC, OBC and tribal youth, if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?**

ANSWER

**MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT
(SHRI KAMLESH PASWAN)**

(a) to (c): Yes. Government is implementing the Rural Self Employment Training Institute (RSETI) scheme as a sub-scheme of National Rural Livelihood Mission (NRLM) across the country including Kutch District of Gujarat. The RSETI Kachchh/ Kutch (Bhuj) covers Bhuj, Abdasa, Gandhidham, Rapar, Mandvi and Anjar of Kutch Lok Sabha Constituency. The RSETI provides free of cost skill and entrepreneurship development training to rural poor youth. The details of Scheduled Castes (SCs), Other Backward Classes (OBCs) and Tribal youths trained and settled since 2014-15 till 2024-25 (upto October 2024) under RSETI in Bhuj, Abdasa,

Gandhidham, Rapar, Mandvi and Anjar of Kutch Lok Sabha Constituency are given as below:

Category	SC		OBC		ST	
	Trained	Settled	Trained	Settled	Trained	Settled
2014-15	350	183	79	79	44	9
2015-16	209	97	271	46	38	12
2016-17	353	217	130	225*	13	66*
2017-18	196	416*	121	214*	6	27*
2018-19	292	199	109	76	0	1*
2019-20	231	83	182	38	4	0
2020-21	145	157*	126	85	1	2*
2021-22	264	175	129	125	0	3*
2022-23	326	190	248	107	1	1
2023-24	340	208	185	164	2	0
2024-25 (up to Oct. 2024)	245	94	210	62	0	0

*** The data include the candidates of the previous year also. Hence settled data is more than the trained data**
