GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF SKILL DEVELOPMENT AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 151

ANSWERED ON 03/02/2025

OBJECTIVE OF ENTREPRENEURSHIP DEVELOPMENT CONCLAVE

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

- (a) the objective of "Entrepreneurship Development Conclave" and the manner in which the said conclave aligns with the broader vision of the Government regarding entrepreneurship development at the rural and grassroot level;
- (b) whether the Government is formulating any scheme to leverage the Panchayati Raj system to facilitate skill development and capacity building programmes for rural entrepreneurs particularly in light of the discussions in the conclave and if so, the details thereof:
- (c) whether any specific measures are being taken to empower the rural entrepreneurs in Chhattisgarh through the Panchayati Raj system; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

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

(SHRI JAYANT CHAUDHARY)

(a) The Department of Animal Husbandry and Dairying under the Ministry of Fisheries, Animal Husbandry and Dairying, organized the Entrepreneurship Development Conclave, on 13th January 2025 with the objective to promote two schemes, namely, National Livestock Mission (NLM) and Animal Husbandry Infrastructure Development Scheme (AHIDF).

The said conclave had participation from the State Governments and Entrepreneurs who have established their facilities through investment after taking benefit under NLM and AHIDF.

In the conclave, the best performing States were given encouragement by providing felicitation. Similarly, projects of entrepreneurs who have taken benefit under the NLM scheme, were launched in the said conclave. Further, the Banks were also felicitated for their participation in the schemes and for extending credit.

(b), (c) & (d) There is no such scheme under formulation at present.
