GOVERNMENT OF INDIA

MINISTRY OF CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS

DEPARTMENT OF CHEMICALS AND PETROCHEMICALS

LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION No - 2244

ANSWERED ON- 01/08/2025

CIPET CENTER AT DAHOD, GUJARAT

2244: SHRI JASWANTSINH SUMANBHAI BHABHOR:

Will the Minister of CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government proposes to set up CIPET Centre to impart training to youths in Plastic and Petrochemical Sector, at Dahod in Gujarat, if so, the details thereof; (b) whether the Government has formulated any strategy to focus on 'Make in India' and 'Atmanirbhar Bharat' through CIPET in industrial State like Gujarat and if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) whether Scholarships or special training have been provided to youths through CIPET for their skill development at Dahod in Gujarat, if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS

(SMT. ANUPRIYA PATEL)

- (a) No, Sir. Currently, there is no proposal under consideration for setting up a CIPET Centre at Dahod, Gujarat. However, CIPET has an Institute of Petrochemicals Technology (IPT) and Centre for Skilling and Technical Support (CSTS) at Ahmedabad, a Sub-Centre at Bhavnagar and another Centre for Skilling and Technical Support (CSTS) at Navsari in Gujarat. Also, one more CSTS and a Plastic Waste Management Centre (PWMC) at Sanand are under construction. These centers are expected to cater to the training and technological support needs of Gujarat state.
- (b) CIPET has played a vital role in developing the skilled workforce required for the Petrochemicals and Plastics sector in Gujarat. Currently, various skill development and skill upgradation programs in specialized technical domains are offered by CIPET Centres in Gujarat. Additionally, CIPET's Technical Support Services (TSS) continue to significantly contribute to the advancement of the local plastics industry, fostering innovation and industrial growth.
- (c) 36 candidates from the Dahod region have received training in skill development programs at CIPET centres in Ahmedabad and Navsari in the last 3 years.
