

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF CORPORATE AFFAIRS**

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3785
ANSWERED ON MONDAY THE 16th MARCH, 2026
PHALGUNA 25, 1947 (SAKA)**

PM INTERNSHIP SCHEME

QUESTION

3785. Smt. June Maliah:

Will the Minister of CORPORATE AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

- (a) the amount sanctioned (in Rs.) for the PM internship scheme in the budget 2025-26 and utilised (in Rs.) as of 1 March, 2026;**
- (b) the total number of candidates who have sought internship from the scheme and total number of candidates who received internship;**
- (c) the number of students who have been retained/hired by the companies they were interning with, company-wise;**
- (d) the number of companies that have posted less than 10 and 50 internship opportunities, company-wise and category-wise; and**
- (e) the number of candidates who have left the internship before the tenure ended?**

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF CORPORATE AFFAIRS AND MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

[SHRI HARSH MALHOTRA]

- (a) Details of amount sanctioned and utilized for the Prime Minister Internship Scheme in FY 2025-26 is placed at Annexure I.**
- (b) In the Round I of the Pilot Project, which commenced from 3rd October, 2024, approximately 6.21 lakh applications were received from more than 1.81 lakh candidates and the partner companies made over 82,000 internship offers to over 60,000 candidates.**

In the Round II of the PM Internship Scheme Pilot Project, which commenced on 9th January, 2025, approximately 4.55 lakh applications were received

from more than 2.14 lakh candidates and the partner companies made over 83000 internship offers to over 71000 candidates.

(c) The PM Internship Scheme is designed to enhance industry-relevant skills, improve job readiness, and foster professional exposure through structured internships in India's top-performing companies and institutions to create job ready, skilled work force. The scheme is not designed to provide placement offers.

(d) Details of companies that have provided less than 10 and 50 internship opportunities in Round I and Round II of the PM Internship Scheme Pilot Project, are placed at Annexure II.

(e) As on 09.03.2026, 7292 candidates have left the internship without completing, in both the rounds of the PMIS Pilot Project.

Annexure I

Annexure I to Lok Sabha Q No. 3785 to be answered on 16.03.2026.

Details of amount sanctioned and utilized for the Prime Minister Internship Scheme in FY 2025-26 as on 28.02.2026 is given below:

(Amount in Rs. Crore)				
S. No.	Financial Year	Budget Allocation & Estimates	Revised Estimates	Actual Expenditure
1.	2025-26	10831.07*	526	87.46

***Rs. 10831.07 crore has been allocated to the Ministry for the main Scheme. However, the main scheme could not be commenced, and Pilot Project has been continued.**

Annexure II**Annexure II to the Lok Sabha Unstarred Q. No. 3785 to be answered on 16.03.2026.****Details of Companies that have provided less than 10 and 50 internship opportunities in Round I and Round II of the Pilot Project.**

S.No	Companies that have provided less than 10 and 50 internship opportunities	Number of Opportunities Posted
1	ATLAS COPCO (INDIA) PRIVATE LIMITED	1
2	MAHARASHTRA EASTERN GRID POWER TRANSMISSION COMPANY LIMITED	1
3	DCB BANK LIMITED	1
4	GHARDA CHEMICALS LIMITED	1
5	MACLEODS PHARMACEUTICALS LTD	1
6	MAHANAGAR GAS LIMITED	1
7	WINSOL SOLAR FIELDS (POLEPALLY) PRIVATE LIMITED	1
8	YARROW INFRASTRUCTURE PRIVATE LIMITED	1
9	GLENMARK LIFE SCIENCES LIMITED	2
10	INGRAM MICRO INDIA PRIVATE LIMITED	2
11	ERICSSON INDIA PRIVATE LIMITED	2
12	MOTILAL OSWAL FINANCIAL SERVICES LIMITED	2
13	SAVEX TECHNOLOGIES PRIVATE LIMITED	2
14	SRF LIMITED	2
15	TRIVENI ENGINEERING AND INDUSTRIES LIMITED	3
16	HEIDELBERGCEMENT INDIA LIMITED.	4
17	DEUTSCHE INDIA PRIVATE LIMITED	4
18	HDFC ERGO GENERAL INSURANCE COMPANY LIMITED	4
19	UNITED SPIRITS LIMITED	4
20	FINOLEX INDUSTRIES LIMITED	5
21	INDIAN RAILWAY FINANCE CORPORATION LIMITED	5
22	IL&FS TAMIL NADU POWER COMPANY LIMITED	5
23	NARAYANA HRUDAYALAYA LIMITED	5
24	PNC INFRATECH LIMITED	5
25	3M INDIA LIMITED	6
26	AMERICAN EXPRESS(INDIA) PRIVATE LIMITED	6
27	PRESTIGE ESTATES PROJECTS LIMITED	8
28	SUPER CASSETTES INDUSTRIES PRIVATE LIMITED	8
29	FINOLEX CABLES LIMITED	10
30	ADANI HARBOUR SERVICES LIMITED	10
31	INDIAN ENERGY EXCHANGE LIMITED	10
32	CESC LTD	10
33	CULVER MAX ENTERTAINMENT PRIVATE LIMITED	10
34	CYBAGE SOFTWARE PRIVATE LIMITED	10
35	MACROTECH DEVELOPERS LIMITED	10
36	PIDILITE INDUSTRIES LIMITED	10
37	PFIZER LIMITED	11

38	COROMANDEL INTERNATIONAL LIMITED	13
39	NATIONAL PAYMENTS CORPORATION OF INDIA	15
40	NIPPON LIFE INDIA ASSET MANAGEMENT LIMITED	15
41	STAR CEMENT LIMITED	15
42	RIYA TRAVEL AND TOURS (INDIA) PRIVATE LIMITED	16
43	BHARAT FORGE LTD	17
44	MANGALORE REFINERY AND PETROCHEMICALS LIMITED	17
45	D B POWER LIMITED	18
46	ADANI TOTAL GAS LIMITED	19
47	APARNA INFRAHOUSING PRIVATE LIMITED (PART IX)	20
48	ASIAN PAINTS LIMITED	20
49	FIVE-STAR BUSINESS FINANCE LIMITED	20
50	PERNOD RICARD INDIA PRIVATE LIMITED	20
51	AU SMALL FINANCE BANK LIMITED	20
52	KNR CONSTRUCTIONS LIMITED	20
53	LUPIN LIMITED	20
54	MICRO LABS LIMITED	20
55	MPHASIS LIMITED	20
56	CGI INFORMATION SYSTEMS AND MANAGEMENT CONSULTANTS PRIVATE LIMITED	21
57	KOTAK MAHINDRA LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY LIMITED	25
58	THE FEDERAL BANK LTD	25
59	WONDER CEMENT LIMITED	25
60	IIFL HOME FINANCE LIMITED	25
61	ADITYA BIRLA SUN LIFE AMC LIMITED	25
62	DECCAN FINE CHEMICALS (INDIA) PRIVATE LIMITED	25
63	DILIP BUILDCON LIMITED	26
64	ASTER DM HEALTHCARE LIMITED	26
65	ICICI LOMBARD GENERAL INSURANCE COMPANY LIMITED	27
66	BALKRISHNA INDUSTRIES LIMITED	27
67	SMFG INDIA CREDIT COMPANY LIMITED	29
68	CYIENT LIMITED	30
69	HP INDIA SALES PRIVATE LIMITED	30
70	TRANSMISSION CORPORATION OF TELANGANA LIMITED	30
71	SHIV-NARESH SPORTS PRIVATE LIMITED	31
72	GUJARAT ALKALIES AND CHEMICALS LIMITED	31
73	M.P. AGROTONICS LIMITED	32
74	SIEMENS LIMITED	33
75	MARRIOTT HOTELS INDIA PRIVATE LIMITED (TRF.)	34
76	ZOHO CORPORATION PRIVATE LIMITED	35
77	COLGATE-PALMOLIVE (INDIA) LIMITED	35
78	SARDA ENERGY & MINERALS LIMITED	35
79	PROCTER & GAMBLE HOME PRODUCTS PRIVATE LIMITED	37
80	YASHODA HEALTHCARE SERVICES PRIVATE LIMITED	39
81	JINDAL SAW LIMITED	40
82	SBI CARDS AND PAYMENT SERVICES LIMITED	40

83	TRANSUNION CIBIL LIMITED	40
84	ZERODHA BROKING LIMITED	40
85	JAQUAR AND COMPANY PRIVATE LIMITED	42
86	ASHOKA BUILDCON LIMITED	42
87	KOTAK SECURITIES LIMITED	42
88	ICICI PRUDENTIAL ASSET MANAGEMENT COMPANY LIMITED	43
89	DBS BANK INDIA LIMITED	43
90	ADITYA BIRLA FINANCE LIMITED	45
91	LAURUS LABS LIMITED	45
92	INTERNATIONAL TRACTORS LIMITED	46
93	INFO EDGE (INDIA) LIMITED	49