

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF SKILL DEVELOPMENT AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP**

**LOK SABHA
STARRED QUESTION No. 143
TO BE ANSWERED ON 9th DECEMBER, 2015**

PROMOTION OF ENTREPRENEURSHIP

QUESTION

***143: SHRI DUSHYANT SINGH:**

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

- (a) the number of indigenous enterprises which have started operating during the last three years, State-wise and sector-wise;
- (b) whether the Government is promoting social entrepreneurship through additional financial assistance, training and mentorship and if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefore;
- (c) whether there has been a considerable increase in the number of 'start-ups' under Information Technology sector in comparison to other sectors;
- (d) if so, whether the Government proposes to promote 'start-ups' in other sectors like health, energy etc.; and
- (e) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefore?

ANSWER

**MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) IN THE MINISTRY OF SKILL
DEVELOPMENT AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP
(SHRI RAJIV PRATAP RUDY)**

- (a) to (e) A statement is laid on the Table of the House.

STATEMENT TO BE LAID ON THE TABLE OF THE HOUSE IN RESPECT OF PART (a) TO (e) OF LOK SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO. 143 ADMITTED FOR REPLY ON 9.12.2015 REGARDING PROMOTION OF ENTREPRENEURSHIP.

(a) Indigenous enterprises form part of the Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises. State / UT wise information relating to the number of Entrepreneurs Memorandum Part-II (EM-II) filed at District Industries Centres (DICs) and their distribution as Micro, Small and Medium for the years 2012-13 to 2014-15 are given at **Annexure-I**.

(b) The National Policy for Skill Development and Entrepreneurship 2015 envisages fostering social entrepreneurship and grassroots innovation by providing support in terms of fiscal incentives, creation of grass root technology innovation hubs, legal support and market linkages. The Government has established a mechanism to be known as SETU (Self-Employment and Talent Utilisation) under NITI Aayog to support all aspects of start-up businesses, and other self-employment activities, particularly in technology-driven areas. Besides, the Government has also launched in August 2015 India Aspiration Fund (IAF) under the Small Industries Development Bank of India (SIDBI) with a capital of Rs.2000 crores to give a boost to start-up ecosystem in the country. The objective of IAF is to catalyse tens of thousands of crores of equity investment into start-ups and MSMEs creating employment for lakhs of persons, mostly educated youth, over the next four to five years.

(c) The Department of Electronics and Information Technology (DeitY) is implementing a scheme entitled "Technology Incubation and Development of Entrepreneurs (TIDE)" under which 147 start-ups have been supported at 25 TIDE Centres established in premier institutes like IITs, NITs, IIMs etc.

(d) to (e) Hon'ble Prime Minister, in his 69th Independence Day Address, had announced "**Start-Up India**" initiative in which each of the 1.25 lakh bank branches would provide funding support to at least one Dalit or Adivasi entrepreneur and at least one woman entrepreneur. A number of Ministries are involved for development of entrepreneurship through various programmes and interventions. The Department of Science & Technology has supported establishment of Technology Business Incubators and Science & Technology Parks across all major technology domain including Medical Devices, Health Care and Energy.

ANNEXURE-I**STATE /UT WISE DISTRIBUTION OF NUMBER OF ENTREPRENEURS MEMORANDUMS PART-II (EM-II) FILED AT DISTRICT INDUSTRIES CENTRES 2012-13 TO 2014-15.**

Sl. No.	State / UT	Number of EM-II filed		
		2012-13	2013-14	2014-15
1	Jammu & Kashmir	1,027	918	1,159
2	Himachal Pradesh	772	627	388
3	Punjab	2,644	2,282	2,137
4	Chandigarh	139	185	160
5	Uttrakhand	2,291	2,469	2,669
6	Haryana	2,105	2,481	1,482
7	Delhi	430	329	652
8	Rajasthan	15,363	17,601	18,655
9	Uttar Pradesh	30,933	45,342	52,203
10	Bihar	3,737	3,133	2,009
11	Sikkim	11	8	7
12	Arunachal Pradesh	55	25	25
13	Nagaland	231	242	91
14	Manipur	181	178	198
15	Mizoram	122	213	278
16	Tripura	150	173	172
17	Meghalaya	581	641	118
18	Assam	1,451	1,860	2,629
19	West Bengal	10,342	11,380	15,244
20	Jharkhand	4,554	3,592	3,450
21	Odisha	2,622	2,815	2,995
22	Chhattisgarh	1,472	1,556	1,702
23	Madhya Pradesh	19,832	19,374	19,903
24	Gujarat	68,235	58,627	64,160
25	Daman & Diu	76	64	56
26	Dadra & Nagar Haveli	93	93	90
27	Maharashtra	16,136	19,826	36,992
28	Andhra Pradesh	8,200	9,247	2,810
29	Karnataka	24,208	25,966	28,754
30	Goa	103	169	160
31	Lakshadweep	11	9	5
32	Kerala	13,551	14,997	14,906
33	Tamil Nadu	90,974	116,393	143,104
34	Puducherry	86	76	96
35	Andaman & Nicobar Islands	100	100	112
36	Telangana	5,332	6,844	5,787
	All India	328,150	369,835	425,358

DISTRIBUTION OF NUMBER OF EM-II FILED BY TYPE OF ENTERPRISES

Year	Number of EM-II filed pertaining to			Total
	Micro	Small	Medium	
2012-13	2,75,867	41,502	5,449	3,22,818
2013-14	2,96,526	59,127	7,338	3,62,91
2014-15	3,46,206	70,933	8,219	4,25,358
