

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT
DEPARTMENT OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT

LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3080
TO BE ANSWERED ON 17.12.2015

SKILL DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMMES

3080. ADV. CHINTAMAN NAVASHA WANAGA:
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Will the Minister of **RURAL DEVELOPMENT** be pleased to state:

- (a) the details and key features of the Pandit Deen Dayal Upadhyaya Grameen Kaushalya Yojana (DDU-GKY) being implemented by the Government for increasing rural employment through skill development alongwith the budgetary allocation for the same during each of the last three years and the current year, State/ UT-wise;
- (b) whether the Government proposes to remove the 25% ceiling on expenditure allowed under the DDU-GKY, if so, the details thereof and the reasons therefor;
- (c) the total number of rural youths benefited under this scheme since its inception, State/UT-wise;
- (d) whether the Government has covered all villages in the country under this scheme, if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor, State/UT-wise; and
- (e) the action plan drawn by the Government to revamp rural skill development programmes by including more rural youths therein to promote Make in India campaign?

ANSWER
MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT
(SHRI SUDARSHAN BHAGAT)

(a): Deen Dayal Upadhyaya Grameen Kaushalya Yojana (DDU-GKY) is a placement linked skill development program for rural poor youth. DDU-GKY is undertaken as PPP Project through Private and Public organizations registered with Ministry of Rural Development. Important features of DDU-GKY, inter-alia, are as follows:

- Market-led, placement-linked training programme for rural youth.
- Mandatory assured placement to 75% of the trained candidates.
- Focus on rural youth from poor families in the age group of 15 to 35 years.
- Social inclusion of candidates through mandatory coverage of socially disadvantaged groups.
- Minimum Salary of Rs.6000 per month or minimum wages specified by a State Government, which ever is higher (after a three month training course).
- Post-placement support to candidates.
- Career progression support, Retention support and Foreign placement support provided for quality outcome.
- In allocation of skill projects, primacy given to Training Partners who can train and support overseas placement and captive placements.

The budgetary allocation during the last three years and the current year is given below:-

Year	Budgetary Estimate (in Rs. crore)	Revised Estimate (in Rs. crore)	Funds utilized (in Rs. crore)
2012-13	708.12	465.00	180.04
2013-14	1000.00	650.00	568.97
2014-15	728.00	571.49	568.63
2015-16 (Upto November, 2015)	540.00	-	458.48

Details of funds released, State-wise, during the last three years and the current year (upto November, 2015), is given at Annexure-I.

(b): Government has removed the ceiling of 25% of NRLM allocation for DDU-GKY vide its decision dated 2.12.2015. This will enable DDU-GKY to expand its focus, inter-alia, to cover training courses of longer duration for placements in foreign jobs, captive jobs, industry internships, training by accredited institutes and champion employers, and re-skilling/up-skilling of rural poor youth, including rural poor youth who have passed out from ITIs/Polytechnic Institutes.

(c): A total of 158017 candidates have been trained and 51836 candidates have been placed in DDU-GKY projects. Number of candidates benefited in this regard is given at Annexure-II.

(d): DDU-GKY is applicable for rural poor candidates in all villages in the country. DDU-GKY is a demand based program. Till 30th November, 2015, DDU-GKY is covering candidates from 546 Districts in 20 States.

(e): The skilling program for rural poor youth has been refocused and re-prioritized to build the capacity of rural poor youth to address the needs of domestic and global skill requirements in line with the Make in India campaign.

Annexure-I mentioned in reply to Lok Sabha Unstarred Question No. 3080 for reply on 17.12.2015.
State/UT-wise details of funds released in last three years and current year (till November 2015)
(in Rs. lakhs)

S.N	States/ Uts	2012-13	2013-14	2014-15	2015-16 (till Nov 2015)
1	A&N Islands	-	-	-	-
2	Andhra Pradesh	-	4956.639	-	7637.500
3	Arunachal Pradesh	-	-	222.075	-
4	Assam	-	-	5245.284	3152.446
5	Bihar	1759.618	-	315.455	3794.000
6	Chandigarh	-	-	-	-
7	Chhattisgarh	62.600	1010.282	2604.193	-
8	D&N Haveli	-	-	-	-
9	Delhi	-	-	-	-
10	Goa	-	-	-	-
11	Gujarat	423.152	3172.500	703.230	-
12	Haryana	-	1641.460	860.890	-
13	Himachal Pradesh	-	25.500	-	16.908
14	J&K	415.490	6518.656	3773.851	1819.992
15	Jharkhand	-	5362.545	50.736	-
16	Karnataka	71.550	2765.140	2246.028	7324.552
17	Kerala	-	-	5979.986	-
18	Madhya Pradesh	374.440	1953.262	2800.517	-
19	Maharashtra	190.801	-	-	9496.578
20	Manipur	-	-	-	-
21	Meghalaya	-	-	-	-
22	Mizoram	-	-	-	-
23	Nagaland	-	-	-	-
24	Odisha	1764.900	1715.367	8233.757	-
25	Pondicherry	-	-	-	-
26	Punjab	44.750	161.070	-	2712.500
27	Rajasthan	-	7608.180	-	210.500
28	Sikkim	-	-	662.020	-
29	Tamilnadu	1125.000	-	-	2654.000
30	Telangana	-	-	-	4287.000
31	Tripura	-	744.174	930.331	-
32	Uttar Pradesh	634.630	5168.603	17064.776	548.389
33	Uttarakhand	71.550	0.000	-	65.091
34	West Bengal	155.231	187.499	1047.851	-
35	Multi-State	10910.360	13906.160	4122.440	2128.787
	Total	18004.072	56897.037	56863.420	45848.243

Note: This also includes fund released for ongoing projects sanctioned under SGSY/NRLM, existing before DDU-GKY.

(Source:MoRD)

Annexure-II mentioned in reply to Lok Sabha Unstarred Question No. 3080 for reply on 17.12.2015.
Details of total number of candidates trained and placed under DDU-GKY projects (since inception of DDU-GKY) till 30 October 2015

State	Total candidates Trained	Total candidates placed
ASSAM	1438	740
BIHAR	2526	761
CHHATTISGARH	6692	2860
GUJARAT	4508	2104
HARYANA	7561	4496
JHARKHAND	2879	2291
KARNATAKA	3528	2412
KERALA	1678	153
MADHYA PRADESH	7261	2608
ODISHA	21933	10590
RAJASTHAN	27069	16582
SIKKIM	105	38
TAMILNADU	18844	1451
TRIPURA	41	0
UTTAR PRADESH	51030	4484
WEST BENGAL	924	266
Total	158017	51836

Note: (i) This does not include number of candidates trained and placed under SGSY/NRLM projects and Himayat project.

(ii) Projects commencement process in Maharashtra, Andhra Pradesh and Telengana has begun recently.

(iii) Projects at application stage in Punjab.

(Source :MoRD)