

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

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1629
TO BE ANSWERED ON 4.5.2016**

National Board for Skill Development Certification

1629. SHRI K. PARASURAMAN:

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

- (a) whether the Government has decided to set up the National Board for Skill Development Certification on the lines of similar board for education to set standards;
- (b) if so, the details, aims and objectives of the said Board thereof;
- (c) whether the Board is also likely to decide the curriculum, the mode of examination and certification at different levels of training to bring about uniformity across the country; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

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

(a) to (d) Government has announced establishment of a National Board for Skills Assessment and Certification in the Budget Speech 2016-17. The Board will be an autonomous professional body responsible for conducting examinations, assessments and awarding national level certificates in compliance with National Skills Qualification Framework (NSQF) for skill development courses in the country.
