

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF STATISTICS AND PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION**

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1676
TO BE ANSWERED ON WEDNESDAY, THE 27th JULY, 2016**

SKILL DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMME

1676. SHRI RAMESH BIDHURI:

Will the Minister of STATISTICS AND PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government is providing skill development programme in Statistics and Programme implementation for departmental employees and other persons under the Ministry;**
- (b) if so, the name of programmes, sector-wise with details of registration made for such programmes country-wise during each of the last three years and the current year; and**
- (c) if not, the reasons therefor?**

ANSWER

**MINISTER FOR STATISTICS AND PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION
(SHRI D. V. SADANANDA GOWDA)**

(a) & (b) Yes, Madam. Ministry of Statistics and Programme Implementation is responsible for co-ordination of Statistical activities in the Country and also for conducting Surveys on various subjects of national importance. The Ministry has been continuously making necessary efforts to accomplish this task by imparting training to its personnel in Official Statistics and related methodology. Subjects/areas covered under various training programmes conducted by the Ministry inter alia include areas of Official Statistics, Theoretical & Applied Statistics, Large Scale Sample Surveys, System of National Accounts, Data Collection, Processing and Management Techniques, Information Technology, General Management, Financial Management, Micro and Macro Economics, Econometrics, General Administration, Communication Skills etc.

The details of registration made for such programmes in the last 3 years and the current year are given in the table below.

(i) Details of domestic registration

Sr. No.	Training Programme for	Number of Officials trained during the year			
		2013-14	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17 (Till 19-07-2016)
1.	Indian Statistical Service (ISS)	331	414	340	105
2.	Subordinate Statistical Services (SSS)	2026	1212	1272	280
3.	Other Categories (Miscellaneous)	617	535	595	83

(ii) Country-wise details of international registration

Sr. No.	Country	Number of Officials trained during the year			
		2013-14	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17 (Till 19-07-2016)
1.	China	6	29	6	2
2.	France	2	1	0	0
3.	Japan	1	1	5	3
4.	Singapore	3	0	2	1
5.	Philippines	3	1	0	0
6.	Kenya	1	0	0	0
7.	Vietnam	1	0	1	0
8.	Thailand	5	2	7	5
9.	Indonesia	3	0	4	0
10.	Switzerland	1	1	0	0
11.	U.S.A	2	2	3	1
12.	South Korea	0	24	3	0
13.	Malaysia	0	1	0	0
14.	U.K.	0	49	0	0
15.	Italy	0	0	1	0
16.	Sri Lanka	0	0	3	0
17.	Canada	0	48	0	0