

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT
DEPARTMENT OF HIGHER EDUCATION**

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 27
TO BE ANSWERED ON 18.07.2016**

Implementation of NVEQF

27. SHRI A. T. NANA PATIL:

Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has been planning to implement National Vocational Education Qualification Framework (NVEQF) on all the present education systems in the country;
- (b) if so, the details thereof along with the time line and approach for the implementation of this system;
- (c) the details of funds allocated and utilised for the purpose during each of the last three years and the current year; and
- (d) whether the Government is also planning to consider the level of architecture of the NVEQF for Government vacancies and if so, the details thereof?

**ANSWER
MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT**

(SHRI PRAKASH JAVADEKAR)

(a) & (b): The National Vocational Education Qualification Framework (NVEQF) has been replaced by the National Skill Qualification Framework (NSQF) and all the skill development schemes of this Ministry have been aligned with NSQF. The vocational education has been implemented at various levels in Schools, Technical Institutions, Universities and its affiliated Colleges. Under the Skill Assessment Matrix for Vocational Advancement of Youth (SAMVAY) framework issued by the Government, equivalence has been established between the skill education and the formal education so that the students can migrate from one to another in pursuit of higher skill levels. Under the Pradhan Mantri Kaushal Vikas Yojana (PMKVY), all engineering and polytechnic colleges have been encouraged to impart engineering skills for unemployed youth. It is programme to train 10 lakh youth under this scheme in the next 3 years.

(c) & (d) : An amount of Rs. 65.07 Cr (in 2013-14), Rs, 118.98 Cr (in 2014-15), Rs. 140.96 Cr (in 2015-16 has been spent for skill development programmes in this Ministry.
