

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

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**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 4129
TO BE ANSWERED ON 10.08.2016**

NEW COURSES IN SKILL DEVELOPMENT

QUESTION

4129. DR. RAMESH POKHRIYAL “NISHANK”: **SHRI VIJAY KUMAR HANSDAK:**
SHRI BHARAT SINGH :

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

- (a) whether the Government has introduced/proposes to introduce new courses in skill development programmes according to the need of Himalayan/rural/backward States and if so, the details thereof;
- (b) if not, the reasons therefor;
- (c) whether courses relating to organic farming, floriculture, herbs production, ecotourism, forest related industry, fruits processing, horticulture etc. have been introduced; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof and the number of persons benefitted from it during each of the last three years and the current year, State-wise?

ANSWER

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

(a) to (d) Pradhan Mantri Kaushal Vikas Yojana (PMKVY) 2015-16 had a target to cover 24 lakh youth in the country. The scheme was implemented by National Skill Development Corporation (NSDC) with the objective to enable a large number of Indian youth to take up industry-relevant skill training that will help them in securing a better livelihood. Individuals with prior learning experience or skills were also assessed and certified under Recognition of Prior Learning (RPL) category.

Government through National Skill Development Corporation (NSDC) has constituted 40 Sector Skill Councils (SSCs) including Agriculture Sector Skill Council, Tourism and Hospitality Services Sector Skill Council etc, which covers all the priority sectors identified by Government, major unorganized segments and sectors with large workforce. All the SSCs can facilitate the process to conduct upskilling through training partners for all the relevant job roles where there is a demand from the industry. Courses relating to job roles such as Organic grower, Floriculturist etc. have been introduced. The details of job roles, total number of candidates enrolled, total trainings completed, total results uploaded and total certified by the Agriculture Sector Skill Council, are at **Annexure-I**.

As on 15th July 2016, a total of 17.94 lakh candidates have been enrolled, 17.93 lakh have been trained and 11.8 lakh have been certified under the PMKVY scheme (**Annexure-II**).

Number of candidates enrolled, trained and certified in different job role under Agriculture Sector Skill Council:

Agriculture Sector Skill Council's Job Role	Total Enrolled	Total Trainings Completed	Total Results Uploaded	Total Certified
Agriculture Extension Service Provider	978	978	978	660
Animal Health Worker	11578	11578	11548	7796
Artificial Insemination Technician	199	199	199	116
Bamboo Grower	611	611	491	69
Banana Farmer Level 4	1935	1935	1935	1229
Bee Keeper	2103	2103	2103	1488
Broiler Farm Worker	6556	6556	6556	3982
Bulb Crop Cultivator Level 4	60	60	60	52
Chillies Cultivator	373	373	373	124
Coffee Plantation Worker	120	120	120	90
Community Service Provider	2846	2846	2825	1671
Dairy Farmer/ Entrepreneur Level 4	21502	21502	21369	14201
Dairy Worker Level 2	87	87	60	44
Floriculturist (Open Cultivation)	5790	5760	5670	3895
Floriculturist (Protected Cultivation) Level 4	3095	3095	2993	2007
Gardener Level 4	18898	18898	18781	12244
Green House Fitter	906	906	906	516
Hatchery Production Worker - Fishery	150	150	150	0
Mango Grower	1980	1980	1950	984
Marine Capture Fisherman	872	872	872	509
Micro Irrigation Technician	11380	11350	11260	6889
Organic grower Level 4	6137	6137	6082	2541
Paddy Farmer Level 4	383	383	383	256
Quality Seed Grower	5359	5359	5359	2757
Sericulturist	210	210	210	0
Solanaceous Crop Cultivator Level 4	446	446	446	281
Solar Pump Technician	4792	4792	4732	3383
Soyabean Cultivator Level 4	968	968	968	710
Sugarcane Cultivator Level 4	904	904	900	616
Supply Chain Field Assisstant	121	121	121	103
Tea Plantation Worker Level 2	5359	5359	5359	2473
Tractor operator	20065	20065	19711	11642
Tuber Crop Cultivator	150	150	150	126
Warehouse Worker	750	750	750	330
TOTAL	137663	137603	136370	83784

Number of candidates enrolled, trained, passed and placed under different Sector Skill Councils:

Sector Skill Council	No. of Candidates Enrolled	No. of Candidates Trained	No. of Candidates Passed	No. of Candidates Certified
Textiles & Handloom Sector Skill Council	29212	29212	24040	19378
Logistics Sector Skill Council	233132	233072	194228	175056
Leather Sector Skill Council	60359	60359	48935	47335
Agriculture Sector Skill Council of India	137663	137603	96172	81223
Security Sector Skill Development Council	65843	65753	58171	53655
Retailers Association's Skill Council of India	174697	174528	137621	125417
Beauty and Wellness Sector Skill Council	128613	128470	104850	94059
Electronics Sector Skills Council of India	176258	176108	138032	122843
Apparel Sector Skill Council	79245	79245	62775	52580
Automotive Skills Development Council	110626	110626	80283	68306
Rubber Skill Development Council	23156	23156	14541	12548
Construction Skill Development Council of India	64820	64820	31862	26822
Tourism and Hospitality Services Sector Skill Council	66238	66238	46634	41338
Iron And Steel Sector Skill Council	28325	28325	23682	21255
Telecom Sector Skill Council	53788	53723	34016	28567
Furniture and Fittings Sector Skill Council	18619	18619	15864	14682
Gems & Jewellery Skill Council of India	70205	70205	56255	51569
Healthcare Sector Skill Council	60450	60425	37580	32592
Capital Goods Skill Council of India	14889	14889	9998	7182
IT-ITeS Sector Skills Council NASSCOM	40650	40627	14537	10742
Media & Entertainment Skills Council	13298	13272	8769	7263
Food Processing Sector Skill Council	27692	27692	22183	20453
Indian Plumbing Skills Council	20610	20610	16501	14830
Mining Sector Skill Council	40872	40872	33891	30095
Power Sector Skill Council of India	5295	5295	4058	3169
Life Sciences Sector Skill Council	17238	17238	9985	8629
BFSI Sector Skill Council of India	26303	26303	13267	9703
Handicrafts and Carpet Sector Skill Council	2410	2410	1917	1374
Disability Sector Skill Council of India	2683	2568	0	0
Green Jobs Sector Skill Council	383	383	59	0
Infrastructure Sector Skill Council	724	724	656	590
Sports Sector Skill Council	20	20	12	0
Grand Total	1794316	1793390	1341374	1183255
