

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT
LOK SABHA**

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AWARDS TO SKILLED PERSONS
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Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government are considering to award engineering diplomas and degrees to skilled persons employed in the unrecognised sector who have no formal education;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether the Government have decided to set up a State level committee to screen and examine prior to granting such diplomas and degrees to persons having no formal education; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (DR.VALLABHBHAI KATHIRIA)

(a) to (d) In the proposed revised scheme of vocational education there is a provision to set up a National Competency Testing Agency(NCTA) which shall be responsible for assessment of competencies of skilled persons including those from the unrecognised sector.