

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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LOK SABHA**

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TRAINING ACADEMY FOR WORKERSS LABOURERS
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Will the Minister of LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government proposes to set up an academy to impart advanced training to construction workers and other technical labourers; and

(b) if so, the details thereof alongwith the location identified and the funds allocated for the purpose, State-wise?

Answer

MINISTER OF THE STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT (SHRI HARISH RAWAT)

(a) to (b) Vocational training being concurrent subject, responsibility of formulating norms and standards lies with Central Government and setting up of training institutions to impart skills in various sectors lies with respective State Governments. Government of Andhra Pradesh has set up National Academy of Construction (NAC) at Hyderabad, to provide skill training to construction workers.

Considering the increased demand of trained construction workers across the country, all the State Governments were requested to set up State Construction Academy in their respective states to impart training to construction workers. No fund has been allocated by the Central Government to any of the State Governments as it was required to be set up from cess to be collected from builders & developers, as has been done in Andhra Pradesh.