

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1282

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STEP

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Will the Minister of WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has fixed any targets under the Support to Training & Employment Programme for Women (STEP) for updating skills and imparting new knowledge to support women during the last three years and the current year;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the achievement made therein during the said period?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT (SHRIMATI KRISHNA TIRATH)

(a): Yes, Madam.

(b) & (c): The target for the number of beneficiaries and achievements under Support to Training and Employment Programme (STEP) during the last three years and the current year are as under:

Year	Target	Achievements
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2009-2010	30,000	21,963
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2010-2011	35,000	36,500
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2011-2012	30,000	29,650
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2012-2013	30,000	15,797
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(upto Oct. 2012) .