

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
RURAL DEVELOPMENT  
LOK SABHA**

STARRED QUESTION NO:501  
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JOB TRAINING TO BPL YOUTH UNDER NRLM  
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**Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether the Swarnjayanti Gram SwarozgarYojana (SGSY)/National Rural Livelihoods Mission (NRLM) has yielded successful results in providing Below Poverty Line (BPL) youth with sustainable job training;
- (b) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons thereof;
- (c) the details of the number of people benefitted by this programme, State-wise; and
- (d) the details of different training programmes being provided under the scheme, along with utility of these programmes?

**Answer**

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT (SHRI PRADEEP JAIN 'ADITYA')

(a)to(d): A Statement is laid on the Table of the House.

Statement referred to in reply to the Starred Question No. 501 due for reply on 2.5. 2013

(a) Yes, Madam.

(b) The Swarnjayanti Gram SwarozgarYojana (SGSY) (Special Projects) now called as Aajeevika Skill Development Programme, targets skilling and placement of rural BPL youth in the country. As per available information, since 2004-05,84,98,38 beneficiaries have been trained by Project Implementing Agencies (PIAs) and out of these trained beneficiaries, 67,08,14 beneficiaries have been given placement as on 10th April, 2013.

(c) Details of number of beneficiaries who have benefitted by this programme State wise are given in Annexure.

(d) The training programme under Aajeevika Skill Development Programme targets rural BPL youth. The training includes orientation, soft skill training, trade specific class room and practical training. The training courses are held in approximately 68 trades. The training facilitates placement in organised sector jobs.