

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
SKILL DEVELOPMENT AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP  
LOK SABHA**

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INDIA- EU SKILL DEVELOPMENT PROJECT  
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**Will the Minister of SKILL DEVELOPMENT AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP be pleased to state:**

- (a) the details of the progress made in the India-EU Skills Development project, including the number of beneficiaries, the number of skill development programmes conducted, and the type of training imparted State/UT-wise;
- (b) whether this project has a special focus on vocational training in India; and
- (c) if so, the details thereof and the details of partner organisations involved in the project?

**Answer**

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

(a) to (c): The India-EU project is a technical assistance project for vocational training under which experts provided by the EU provide advice and guidance on implementation of National Skills Qualifications Framework, setting up Labour Market Information System and capacity building of the National Skills Development Authority, three State Skill Development Missions and six Sector Skills Councils. The various trainings provided by the India-EU skills development project include:

- i. Modular Training Programme for NSQF Stakeholders: 3 modules delivered to date. All 12 modules to be delivered by the end of May 2015. 25 Participants nominated by concerned Institutions.
- ii. NSDA Strategic orientation and Training needs analysis. Training sessions conducted for NSDA staff on National Qualifications Frameworks, LMIS, Training of Trainers.
- iii. Study visit to France and Germany on the National Qualifications Framework in these countries- Report produced for this visit.

The partner organisations involved in the project are:

- i. The National Skill Development Agency;
- ii. Ministry of Labour and Employment (DGET and NCVT);
- iii. Ministry of Human Resource Development
- iv. National Skill Development Corporation;
- v. Six Sector Skills Councils for Plumbing, Beauty & Wellness, Logistics and Transportation, Capital Goods, Construction and Healthcare;
- vi. Three State Skills Development Missions of Karnataka, Himachal Pradesh and Uttar Pradesh.