GOVERNMENT OF INDIA SKILL DEVELOPMENT AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP LOK SABHA

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Will the Minister of SKILL DEVELOPMENT AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP be pleased to state:

- (a) the ratio of women and men trained under various skill development programmes during each of the last three years and the current year, State-wise;
- (b) whether the Government has set a target for providing skill training to 500 million youths by 2022;
- (c) if so, the details thereof and the consultations held, if any, with the various State Governments in this regard;
- (d) the enrolment of students in various vocational courses in the country during each of the last three years and the current year, course-wise;
- (e) whether the Government has taken any action to develop skilled manpower to meet the requirement of different industries; and
- (f) if so, the details thereof and the funds allocated therefor?

Answer

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

- (a) 30% of all the seats for all the courses in all Government and Private ITIs are reserved for women candidates.
- (b) & (c) National Policy on Skill Development, 2009 had set a target to train 500 million persons by year 2022. The allocated targets under the policy for different Ministries/Departments is attached as Annexure-I.
- (d) to (f) There are over 70 skill development schemes across various sectors being implemented by over 20 Central Ministries/Departments to develop skilled manpower to meet the requirements of different industries. The achievements of Skill Development under these schemes are as below:-

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(Figures in lakhs)
Financial Year Persons skilled

2011-12 45.58
2012-13 51.88
2013-14 6.37
2014-15 49.77 (upto January, 2015)
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Further, National Skill Development Corporation has incubated 33 Sector Skill Councils (SSCs) which are industry led bodies intended to align the skilling efforts as per the industry's requirement.