

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

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UTILIZATION OF INFRASTRUCTURE AND RESOURCES  
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**Will the Minister of SKILL DEVELOPMENT AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether the Government has considered the utilisation of national infrastructure and resources for skill development;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether the Government has any proposal to launch a national scheme or project utilising the national resources and infrastructure; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof?

**Answer**

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

- (a)&(b) The Government is implementing 70 plus skill development schemes/ programmes under various Ministries/ Departments. A number of Schemes are already utilizing the public infrastructure such as community centres, schools ITs etc.
- (c) & (d) The Ministry of Skill Development and Entrepreneurship has taken an initiative with the Ministry of Railways to harness the large railway network and infrastructure to ensure accessibility of skill training services to a number of small towns and villages where such facilities are otherwise not available.