GOVERNMENT OF INDIA URBAN DEVELOPMENT LOK SABHA

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TRAINING TO TRANSPORT PROFESSIONALS
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Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Union Government imparted capacity building training to urban transport professionals at the national, State/Union Territory (UT) and local levels;
- (b) if so, the details of States/UTs where training has been imparted so far; and
- (c) the time by which it is likely to be imparted in the remaining States/UTs, if any?

Answer

MINISTER OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI M. VENKAIAH NAIDU)

- (a): Yes, Madam.
- (b): Ministry of Urban Development under component 1A of World Bank Global Environment Facility UNDP assisted Sustainable Urban Transport Project has started to train 1000 urban transport professionals city/State officials concerned with urban transport since 2013-14. Ministry in coordination with Institute of Urban Transport, Delhi has so far trained 624 professionals in 11 training programmes during 2013-14 as per details given below:

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S. No. State / UT Place Period of training
1 Himachal Pradesh Shimla 27 - 31 May, 2013
2 Tamil Nadu Chennai 24 - 28 June, 2013
3 Karnataka Bangalore 22 - 26 July, 2013
4 Andhra Pradesh Hyderabad 21 - 23 August, 2013
5 Odisha Bhubaneswar 25 - 27 September, 2013
6 Maharashtra Pune 22 - 25 October, 2013
7 West Bengal Kolkata 15 - 18 January, 2014
8 Assam(For North Guwahati 28 - 31 January, 2014
Eastern
States)
9 Jharkhand Ranchi 4 - 7 February, 2014
10 Punjab, Haryana Chandigarh 10 - 13 February, 2014
& Chandigarh
11 Uttar Pradesh Lucknow 4 - 7 March, 2014
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In addition to above, Ministry, in co-ordination with Centre for Environmental Planning and Technology University (CEPT), Ahmedabad has also organized two workshops on Capacity Building in Urban Transport - Leaders programmes in Urban Transport Planning and Management. So far two batches have been organized from 29th July 2012 to March 2013 and from July 2013 to March 2014. A total 64 participants on nomination basis attended the programme in these two batches from following States:

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S. No. Name of the States/UTs/ Organisations
01 Delhi
02 Gujarat
03 Karnataka
04 Kerala
05 Himachal Pradesh
06 Maharashtra
07 Madhya Pradesh
08 Mizoram
09 Odisha
10 Punjab
11 Rajasthan
12 Tamil Nadu
13 Uttar Pradesh
14 Metros/ Indian Railways
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(c): Out of the target of training of 1000 urban transport professionals, remaining 376 are being trained during 2014-15.