

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

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Programmes under Skill India Mission
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Will the Minister of SKILL DEVELOPMENT AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP be pleased to state:

- (a) whether companies from various sectors including technology and telecommunication companies have come forward to initiate different programmes under the Skill India Mission (SIM) recently announced by the Government;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether software giants like Microsoft and Symantec have planned to launch digital literacy and cyber security training as a part of the SIM; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

- (a) & (b) Companies from various sectors including technology and telecommunication have expressed interest on different platforms to associate with Skill India Mission.
- (c) The Ministry of Skill Development and Entrepreneurship is not in receipt of formal proposal as such from Microsoft or Symantec.
- (d) Does not arise.