

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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Skill Development Initiatives

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

- (a) whether the Government has launched major skill development initiatives including integrated system of skilled manpower at one place only;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether the Government proposes to provide skilled manpower with proper course certification to such sectors which lack professionals such as Carpenters and Plumbers;
- (d) the business/professions identified for this purpose; and
- (e) the follow up action taken in this regard?

Answer

(a) to (e) A major initiative taken by the Government is to launch the National Labour Market Information System (LMIS) on 15th July, 2017. The National LMIS is envisaged as a single platform for skill development related data. The data on National LMIS is displayed in the form of 10 national repositories namely trainers, training centres, training providers, assessors, assessment agencies, employers, trained candidates, courses, certifying agencies and prospective candidates.

To meet the requirements of the industry, the Government provides long term training through Industrial Training Institutes (ITIs) in 135 trades and short term training through the flagship scheme of Pradhan Mantri Kaushal Vikas Yojana (PMKVY) in 221 job-roles including Carpenter and Plumbing.