

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF SKILL DEVELOPMENT AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP**

**LOK SABHA**

**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2895  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 21.03.2022**

**SMALL INDUSTRIAL TRAINING INSTITUTE**

**2895. SHRI SUKANTA MAZUMDAR:**

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

- (a) whether the Government is implementing the scheme of Small Industrial Training Institutes (ITIs) to promote technical education in the rural areas of the country;
- (b) if so, State/UT-wise details thereof including West Bengal;
- (c) the details about the ITIs established along with the fund spent in this regard during the last three years in West Bengal; and;
- (d) the details of the total number of students enrolled and trained under the Pradhan Mantri Kaushal Vikas Yojana (PMKVY) in the last four years, State wise including West Bengal;
- (e) whether in comparison to other countries, India has very small percentage of skilled workforce and if so, the details thereof along with the reasons therefor; and
- (f) the proposed corrective steps to be taken by the Government in this regard?

**ANSWER**

**MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF  
SKILL DEVELOPMENT AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP  
(SHRI RAJEEV CHANDRASEKHAR)**

(a) to (c) There is no scheme of small Industrial Training Institutes under Ministry of Skill Development and Entrepreneurship (MSDE) However, government has comprehensive network of more than 14000 Industrial Training Institutes (ITIs) across India. Setting up of ITIs and its operation are in the domain of respective State Governments, whereas preparation of norms and designing curricula along with conducting examination and certification are the responsibility of Central Government. Industrial Training Institutes are governed under Craftsmen Training Scheme. The detail of ITIs functioning across the country in rural areas including West Bengal is given in **Annexure – I**

(d) The total number of students enrolled and trained under Pradhan Mantri Kaushal Vikas Yojana (PMKVY) in the last four years, state-wise including West Bengal are given at **Annexure – II**

(e) & (f) Our country has a smaller percentage of skilled workforce as compared to other countries like United Kingdom, Germany, United State of America, Japan and South Korea. The main reason is the small workforce available with formal skill training, and availability of skilled or un skilled work force largely through non-formal channels.

The following corrective steps have been taken:-

- Aligning courses as per international standards of **National Skill Qualification Frame Work (NSQF)**.
- Mapping of existing skills, understanding skills gap, imparting necessary remedial measures by **re-skilling and up-skilling**.
- Imparting training in **industry relevant employable skills** under various schemes.
- Coverage of new age courses like **Internet of Things, Drone Pilot, Geo-Informatic Assistant**, to keep pace with changing technology and global demand.

**Annexure – I**

Annexure referred to in reply to para (a) & (b) of Lok Sabha Unstarred Question Number 2895 to be Answered on 21-03-2022. The Industrial Training Institutes (ITIs) running under Craftsmen Training Scheme (CTS) in rural areas of the Country especially in West Bengal.

<b>Sl. no.</b>	<b>State/UT</b>	<b>Nos. of Total ITIs in rural areas</b>
1.	Andaman And Nicobar Islands	4
2.	Andhra Pradesh	437
3.	Arunachal Pradesh	5
4.	Assam	21
5.	Bihar	1151
6.	Chandigarh	NIL
7.	Chhattisgarh	185
8.	Dadra And Nagar Haveli and Daman and Diu	3
9.	Delhi	15
10.	Goa	10
11.	Gujarat	314
12.	Haryana	272
13.	Himachal Pradesh	239
14.	Jammu And Kashmir	39
15.	Jharkhand	276
16.	Karnataka	983
17.	Kerala	406
18.	Ladakh	2
19.	Lakshadweep	1
20.	Madhya Pradesh	533
21.	Maharashtra	910
22.	Manipur	1
23.	Meghalaya	5
24.	Mizoram	NIL
25.	Nagaland	3
26.	Odisha	383
27.	Puducherry	7
28.	Punjab	250
29.	Rajasthan	1329
30.	Sikkim	3
31.	Tamil Nadu	444
32.	Telangana	188
33.	Tripura	18
34.	Uttar Pradesh	2285
35.	Uttarakhand	75
<b>36.</b>	<b>West Bengal</b>	<b>164</b>
	<b>Total</b>	<b>10,961</b>

**Annexure – II**

ANNEX REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARA (d) OF LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION  
No. 2895 to be Answered on 21.03.2022

State/UT	FY-18-19		FY-19-20		FY-20-21		FY-21-22	
	Enrolled	Trained / Oriented	Enrolled	Trained / Oriented	Enrolled	Trained / Oriented	Enrolled	Trained / Oriented
Andaman And Nicobar Islands	369	74	2,688	1,259	147	1,464	154	151
Andhra Pradesh	62,002	62,475	1,70,636	1,05,667	7,087	66,404	6,205	9,072
Arunachal Pradesh	8,949	4,545	35,972	15,700	31,601	51,991	6,200	8,611
Assam	61,358	49,854	3,36,461	1,98,896	2,27,325	3,62,506	14,087	21,306
Bihar	84,586	84,574	2,40,779	1,91,902	64,881	96,288	16,926	44,156
Chandigarh	5,161	5,198	11,722	9,507	782	3,834	248	882
Chhattisgarh	37,878	42,360	62,260	46,548	4,223	16,151	2,332	9,239
Delhi	64,344	81,488	2,01,768	1,46,205	6,896	55,121	12,239	18,172
Goa	1,719	1,751	6,526	4,300	451	1,709	296	536
Gujarat	89,693	83,956	2,03,583	1,55,195	11,489	48,489	18,891	33,474
Haryana	1,11,949	1,15,364	2,13,289	1,75,386	5,531	55,319	10,907	14,379
Himachal Pradesh	31,021	32,048	59,519	48,870	3,009	15,612	6,604	8,220
Jammu And Kashmir	43,449	35,455	1,71,809	1,22,659	4,225	58,927	14,077	14,824
Jharkhand	40,127	36,487	1,52,044	1,20,103	6,185	15,124	5,558	30,590
Karnataka	1,10,922	1,10,111	2,17,053	1,65,247	11,496	53,089	15,793	20,375
Kerala	37,590	35,973	1,06,840	78,523	5,193	31,077	6,250	9,858
Ladakh	1,383	149	1,128	1,937	118	181	590	590
Lakshadweep	-	-	150	60	120	90	-	120
Madhya Pradesh	1,16,641	1,54,478	3,00,336	2,23,483	33,399	95,403	20,065	42,145
Maharashtra	1,80,372	1,65,352	7,60,480	6,36,833	15,277	1,48,352	24,414	29,191
Manipur	8,040	4,430	43,557	28,962	23,414	34,540	2,862	3,716
Meghalaya	9,793	7,117	18,147	11,999	9,944	17,769	2,438	1,599
Mizoram	7,742	3,062	12,953	10,837	7,140	11,433	3,784	4,205
Nagaland	3,195	1,422	24,113	17,364	6,615	14,399	469	679
Odisha	97,539	89,011	3,01,065	2,39,050	12,097	68,828	7,188	10,756
Puducherry	5,875	6,317	8,329	7,172	1,324	3,241	900	1,472
Punjab	53,968	63,732	1,44,497	97,681	11,474	57,054	8,914	17,097
Rajasthan	1,35,307	1,38,923	5,18,614	4,46,900	38,507	97,762	16,500	36,862
Sikkim	3,812	1,932	5,493	5,123	2,395	3,634	661	1,192
Tamil Nadu	1,15,534	1,23,422	2,48,630	1,85,108	6,824	72,404	19,976	22,007
Telangana	54,613	57,648	1,38,763	1,08,145	7,836	33,999	5,895	11,128
The Dadra And Nagar Haveli And Daman and Diu	3,938	3,377	4,224	5,338	250	222	2	252
Tripura	9,768	7,549	72,158	50,388	24,083	46,676	3,695	2,801
Uttar Pradesh	3,26,419	3,03,099	8,21,742	6,56,829	60,481	2,39,286	32,548	64,469
Uttarakhand	45,786	46,864	89,510	68,250	3,273	29,412	7,700	9,809
<b>West Bengal</b>	<b>83,495</b>	<b>80,609</b>	<b>2,29,515</b>	<b>1,77,880</b>	<b>9,583</b>	<b>53,221</b>	<b>8,348</b>	<b>28,525</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>20,54,337</b>	<b>20,40,206</b>	<b>59,36,353</b>	<b>45,65,306</b>	<b>6,64,675</b>	<b>19,61,011</b>	<b>3,03,716</b>	<b>5,32,460</b>

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