LABOUR & LABOUR WELFARE

The Labour Department implements Labour legislations with the aim of providing not only mandatory benefits like minimum wages, overtime, bonus, compensation to the workers but also ensure their health and safety and sound security during the course of employment. The Govt. of NCT of Delhi has notified the Delhi Building and Other Construction Workers (Regulation of Employment and Conditions of Service) Rules, 2002 which envisage that every employer is required to pay the Cess @ 1 % of the cost of construction to the Delhi Building & Other Construction Workers Welfare Board for the welfare of construction workers. ₹ 163 crore approx was collected as cess during 2013-14. 50 camps were organized during 2013-14 for registration of construction workers with Delhi building & other Construction Workers Welfare Board and 1,97,486 number of construction workers have been registered with the board up to 31-03-2014, out of which 1,06,225 are live members as on 31-03-2014.

There are 17 Industrial Training Institutes (ITI), 01 Basic Training Center (BTC) managed by Training and Technical Education Department and 61 privately managed Industrial Training Centres imparting training in engineering and non-engineering trades. The Craftsmen & Apprenticeship Training programmes provides for skill up-gradation of the students in ITIs/BTCs, introduction of new trades having employment potential as per industry requirement, modernization of machinery, equipments, tools etc. In the XII Five Year Plan, Skill Upgradation has been envisaged as one of the major programme under Delhi Skill Development Mission. A World Class Skill Up-gradation Centre is being set up in collaboration with the ITE Singapore. Govt. of India has also decided to set up a Regional Skill Development Centre in the National Capital Territory of Delhi.

Emphasis is being given to improve the employability of the educated youth for which new programmes are proposed to improve the soft skills through efficiency in English Speaking, Computer Literacy, Personality Development with right Aptitude, Interpersonal Skills and confidence level. These measures will be taken up at the first stage for ITI, Poly-technique and Engineering Institution students of the Government.

Overall allocation for this sector in the Annual Plan 2014-15 is ₹ 99 crore.

I. LABOUR DEPARTMENT

1. Rescue, Repatriation and Rehabilitation of Child Labour

Annual Plan Outlay 2014-15 : ₹ 200 Lakh

Issue of child labour is of National importance. Elimination of child labour is a major concern and commitment of the Government. National Policy on Children Resolution adopted in August, 1974 developed the ideas of protection of children. It set out a policy framework for providing free and compulsory education to children up to the age of 14 years as also measures for protecting children against neglect, cruelty and exploitation. This has now been converted into a right with the introduction of the Act on Right to Education.

The Government of India had conceptualized the National Child Labour Policy, approved by the Cabinet on 14th August 1987. The Policy was formulated with the basic objective of suitably rehabilitating the children withdrawn from employment thereby reducing the incidence of child labour in areas of known concentration of child labour. The policy consists of three main ingredients:-

Legal Action Plan – With emphasis laid on strict and effective enforcement of legal provisions relating to child labour under various labour laws;

Focusing of General Development Programmes – Utilization of various ongoing development programmes of other Ministries/ Departments for the benefit of child labour, wherever possible;

Project Based Plan of Action – Launching of projects for the welfare of working children in areas of high concentration of child labour.

Achievement under this scheme:

• Total number of 808 child labour have been rescued during the period Jan'2013 to Dec'2013.

Activities proposed under the scheme

- A survey of child labour would be done on an annual basis for estimation of the number of child labour in Delhi. Funds have to be provided to get the survey done through professional agencies. The Hon'ble High Court of Delhi in Save the Childhood Foundation V/s. Government of Delhi and others (2069/2005 Criminal) has also directed that community workers be assigned the task of conducting surveillance for identification of child labour.
- Identification and rescue of children working in occupations and processes prohibited in schedule appended to the Child Labour (Prohibition and Regulation) Act, 1986 and initiation of legal action including the recovery of rehabilitation amount from the employer and contribution by the Government;
- Repatriation of children belonging to other States to their respective State, in collaboration with the respective State Government through the Resident Commissioner, after the directions of Child Welfare Committee. Children whose parents/guardians i.e. living in Delhi will be rehabilitated in Delhi through Transition Education Centres (TEC) and Vocational Training Centres. Rehabilitation of destitute children through Residential Bridge Centres (RBC) run under Sarv Siksha Abhiyan by the Education Department or in the Shelter Homes of the Social Welfare Department.
- Convergence and Rehabilitation of children who are Delhi based :
- State Resource Cell (SRC) to assist the Project Director and State Project Steering Committee (SPSC) has to be constituted to coordinate and monitor all the activities. The SRC is to function as the Secretariat for the S.P.S.C.
- The DCLRWS has to work in close collaboration with the Education Department, specifically the UEE Mission, Development Department, Dy. Commissioner (Revenue)

of all the Districts, Medical and Health Department, Social Welfare Department, Department of Information and Public Relations, Police and Trade Unions and Civil Society. Mission Convergence will be requested to share its data of child labour. The Hon'ble High Court has, in its order dated 15.07.2009, in Save the Childhood Foundation V/s. Government of Delhi and other cases, broadly defined the role of various Departments.

• The TECs however would be broadly set up on the lines of TECs of the Government of India with slight modification. The existing TECs have been conceptualized by the Government of India with rural bias. Delhi is a metro Centre and therefore the requirements are proportionately more.

The children in TECs would be given the following:-

- Education which would include books, teaching materials;
- Mid-day meal at enhanced rates @ 10/- per day per child, in order to provide nutritious meals;
- Uniform: The existing budget from MCD could be reassigned failing which the expenses would be borne by the DCLRWS;
- Excursions: At least one in every quarter broadly @₹ 400/- per year per child;
- Stipend @ ₹ 500/- per child out of which ₹ 150/- would be paid by the Central Government rest by the DCLRWS.
- Children of the age group of 5 to 8 years would be enrolled in the Sarva Shiksha Abhiyan School, if functional. Otherwise they would be part of TECs. Children beyond the age of 8 years and below 14 years would be part of TECs.
- Vocational training would be explored for children, who reached the age of 14 years and have completed their courses in TECs. The children in Vocational Training Centre would be given a kit in trades like carpentry, masonry, electrician etc., on completion to the training if they want to be self employed.
- The stipend granted will continue for even when the child is admitted into a regular school, subject to the child putting 70% attendance (on a monthly basis). The stipend would be paid even if the attendance is less than 70% provided the child was hospitalized. This stipend would continue till the child completes his/her education upto 8th standard and would continue for a vocational course also.
- The rescued child labour and their families in Delhi would be extended the benefit of all social security and similar schemes of the Government of Delhi. They would be deemed to be BPL for the purpose of Rashtiya Swasthaya Bima Yojana. The initial premium of ₹ 30/- would be paid by the DCLRWS.

Destitute Children

Destitute children will be provided comprehensive care in the shelter homes run by WCD. However, they would be paid stipend and would be given same additional benefits as may be determined in consultation with WCD. It is proposed to extend the benefits of TECs and VTC to children in the age group of 14+ to 18. The Govt. of India is considering

enhancing the age defined in various laws, for 14+ to 18. Stipend/scholarship for children in the age group of 14+ is proposed to be ₹1000/- a month.

Other activities:

- Apart from direct rehabilitation of working children, it is also necessary to prevent fresh entry of children to work by awakening the community consciousness of the public against the evils of child labour. In order to achieve this objective, continuous and sustained awareness generation programmes will have to be carried out on regular basis. In addition to the awareness generation for the Civil Society, it would be necessary to organize regular training programmes for the members of the Task Force. Some general programme would be considered for elected representatives and others to sensitise them to the issue. Training would be done in-house i.e. organized by the Labour Department either on its own or in collaboration with UTCS, V V Giri National Labour Institute or other organizations. The officers may be sponsored to attend training programmes conducted by eminent Training Institutions.
- It has also been proposed to set up the <u>Delhi Academy for Human Resource Studies</u> at the Girinagar Centre and/or at Vikas Bhawan II. The objective of the Academy is to equip all the stakeholders with knowledge of the subject so that industrial peace is maintained, human resources are nurtured and economy growth takes place so that the fruits of growth can be shared equitably. Academic courses in HR such as Diplomas in Child Labour, Occupational Safety and Health, Labour Welfare, etc. will be introduced. The Delhi Academy for HR Studies would impart training in HR matters and labour laws to the officers of the Delhi Government. The scope would be expanded to Managements, Workers and Trade Unions. Initially, programme will be organized on a monthly basis. Later, Seminars, Workshops and Conferences would also be organized. Research would be an integral part of the Academy. This could be done in-house or assigned to expert bodies. It would not be out of place to mention that a number of States already have their own Training Institutes. Some of them are Kerala, Maharashtra, Gujarat, Odisha, etc. The Labour Welfare Centres will be renovated and new offices may be constructed, wherever necessary.

2. Dilli Swavalamban Yojna

Annual Plan Outlay 2014-15 : ₹500 Lakh

The Govt. of India has formulated "The Unorganized Workers Social Security Act 2008" for providing various Social welfare security benefits to the workers engaged in unorganized sector. In this context, Govt. of Delhi has launched "Dilli Swavalamban Yojana (DSY)" in September, 2013 to provide pensionary benefits to the workers of un-organized sectors which includes domestic workers, street venders, auto and taxi drivers, anganwadi workers and helpers, ASHA workers and helpers, Rickshaw pullers, hawkers, rag pickers, BPL workers. Persons who are not member of ESI, PF etc, falling under above mentioned categories and between the age group of 18 to 60 years are eligible to become member of the scheme. The beneficiary must be a resident of Delhi for last 3 years at the time of enrolment for getting the benefit under DSY. Under the scheme, the beneficiary is required to contribute minimum amount of ₹1000/- subject to maximum of ₹12000/- per annum

during the financial year. Central Government contributes @ Rs 1000 per person per annum for 04 years and GNCT of Delhi will contribute ₹1000 per person per annum for 25 years or till the person reaches the age of 60 years, whichever is earlier. Under the scheme, Permanent Retirement Account Number (PRAN) in respect of each beneficiary is opened by empanelled aggregator registered with Pension Fund Regulatory Development Authority (PFRDA) and all three contributions are credited to the PRAN account of the beneficiary which eventually shall have Aadhar details of the beneficiary. The beneficiary can withdraw 60% amount from PRAN account on attaining the age of retirement i.e. 60 years and balance 40% amount shall be annuitized invest with Annuity Service Provider(ASP) empanelled with Pension Fund Regulatory Development Authority from which the beneficiary shall draw his fixed monthly pension. During 2013-14, about 4500 persons were registered under Dilli Swavlamban Yojna.

II. <u>DIRECTORATE OF TRAINING & TECHNICAL EDUCATION</u> (Craftsmen & Apprenticeship Training)

1. Modernization and Restructuring of ITI's / BTCs.

Annual Plan Outlay 2014-15 : ₹350 Lakh

There are lot of machinery consisting of lathes, milling machines, shapers, slotters, electric generators, motors etc. besides light to heavy tools which have outlived their normal life and needs replacement. Consequent upon the revision of syllabus by Govt. of India from time to time, tools and equipments those are obsolete, unserviceable or deficient in service are required to be replaced /procured as and when required.

The objective of this scheme is thus:

- i) To remove the obsolescence.
- ii) To provide I.T.Is Tools, Machineries & Equipment.
- iii) To replace the unserviceable Tools, Machineries & Equipment.

Besides above a large no. of machinery & equipments are lying unutilized due to lack of routine maintenance and repairs. To avoid any unnecessary breakdown/idling of machines & equipments, wherever possible each institute shall enter into Annual Maintenance Contract (AMC) preferably with the manufacturers or their authorized dealers.

To strengthen and improve the overall functioning of ITIs/ BTCs, It is proposed to provide sufficient number of computers, printers, CD writers and Internet facility in each Institute. The work of Data Entry in the Institute will be outsourced.

2. Diversification & introduction of new courses in emerging skills/disciplines for improving quality of training. Annual Plan Outlay 2014-15 : ₹588 Lakh

As per the industry requirement, change in modern technology, the Industrial Training Institutes are required to adopt the systematic automation using the latest machinery & equipments. Conventional systems of production using only skilled labour is losing its relevance due to high labour & production cost and stiff competition from the manufacturers. Thus there is the need to diversify and introduce new courses and to hone modern skills as a part of the industry requirement.

As a result, the Institutes are required to add new emerging discipline, to introduce new trades, as well as to replace the obsolete trades with other trades considering the employment potential and market demand.

DGE&T, Ministry of Labour has already identified various trades out of which following trades have been introduced during 11th FY Plan: Architectural Assistant, Craftsman food Production (Gen),Data Entry Operator, Dental Lab Technician, Digital Photographer, Front office Assistant, Health and Sanitary Inspector, Mechanic computer Hardware, Mechanic Consumer Electronics, Steward, Food Processing etc. More section in ITIs will be commenced and new trades will be introduced during the 12th FY Plan like: Building Maintenance, Driver cum mechanic, Health and Sanitary Inspector, Institution House Keeping, Mechanic Auto, Electrical & Electronics etc.

Targets:

More new trades are to be introduced. Upgradation of Commercial & Secretarial Institute (CSI) now known as Institute of Basic Business Studies (IBBS) presently running at BTC Pusa. The institute is imparting certificate level training in Book-Keeping & Accountancy, Salesmanship & Marketing and Store Keeping and Purchasing.

An independent building is needed for ITIs all round development. Teaching Posts are to be created for the various programmes. The courses will be affiliated to Board of Technical Education. The courses will be employment oriented as well as having scope for further studies in management stream.

3. Expansion of Short-Term and Part-Time Courses for Self Employment in the Various Industrial Training Institutes.

Annual Plan Outlay 2014-15 : ₹10 Lakh

Most of the courses/trades running in the Industrial Training Institute, at present, are having duration extending from six months to three years with eligibility educational qualification 8th, 10th and 12th passed. It has, however, been felt that due to hard economic conditions, some students do not join these courses, as they cannot afford to wait for a period of one/two/three years, due to their family conditions. Marginal farmers and landless labourers families who are also occupied in farm activities are also not willing to attend long duration courses. Short duration courses to make them capable of self-

employment have, therefore, been introduced in the ITIs during morning/evening hours. The short duration courses on Part-time basis in the disciplines of Electrical household Maintenance of Appliances Mechanic. Welding, Repairs and Mechanic, Tailoring, Embroidery, Bakery, Beautician have already been introduced in I.T.I. Arab-ki-Sarai, Siri fort, Sir CV Raman ITI, Pusa and Malviya Nagar. It is proposed to extend these courses to all the ITIs. New course shall be introduced like: AUTO CAD 2010 & latest Machine Operator, Milling Machine Operator, Grinding Machine version-Lathe Operator, CNC Lathe Machine Operator, CNC Milling Machine Operator, Wheel Balancing / Wheel Alignment, Industrial Piping, Oxy-Acetylene Gas Welding, Electric Arc Welding, TIG & MIG Welding, Spot Welding, Plasma Arc metal cutting etc.

4. Welfare Programme for SC/ST Student- SCSP

Annual Plan Outlay 2014-15 : ₹30 Lakh

There are two components under the scheme, which are as under:

To impart training to SC / STs. As per the existing facilities the trainees are given stipend @ $\stackrel{?}{\stackrel{\checkmark}}$ 230.00 per month. Tool kit costing $\stackrel{?}{\stackrel{\checkmark}}$ 800.00 is provided to all the passed out trainees by the Directorate for the welfare of SC/ST. It is proposed to open such self-employment oriented new courses in more number of ITIs so that SC/ST could be benefited. Short term training courses of 3 months duration are introduced in the trade of Plumbing, scooter mechanic, gas wielding etc. in ITI Nand nagari, Jahangirpuri, and Khichripur.

Coaching-Cum-Guidance facilities are provided to SC/ST Students. Some more Coaching- cum-Guidance centers will be opened for SC/ST candidates registered with the Employment Exchanges which may enable them to increase their representation in public services and promote their employability. It was thus decided to conduct regular training in typing and stenography including General Knowledge and English for these candidates and to provide them guidance for career planning and confidence building by arranging special lectures. The training is now being imparted under SCVT for twelve months duration for full day. Two batches are running concurrently with an intake capacity of 20 students each.

Other Provisions of the Schemes: i) The Training is free of cost, ii) Stipend @ ₹ 75/-per month per trainee is paid, iii) Free stationery is provided to the trainees, iv) Vocational guidance is provided to the trainees by arranging special lectures.

5. Setting up of New ITI's and Renovation of ITI's

Annual Plan Outlay 2014-15 : ₹ 2500 Lakh

The buildings of six, out of the sixteen I.T.Is., were constructed before 30 to 45 years and need improvements, additions and alterations to cope up with the expansion and modernization programme being undertaken as a part of the Craftsman Training Scheme. Environment improvement is also required to be given attention for the campus of these

old ITIs so as to provide a congenial atmosphere for training of trainees of the ITIs. Landscaping and horticulture work also to be carried.

The existing workshops blocks and administrative block of ITI Shahdara are in dilapidated conditions. The construction of the new building of the ITI Shahdara has been proposed.

The workshops of ITI Jahangir Puri and Pusa are not suitable in the rainy season due to heavy seepage of water through broken asbestos sheets. The workshops remained extremely hot in summer and cold in the winter season. These conditions make the training environment very harsh. Similarly the buildings of ITIs at Gokhle Road (Women) and Tilak Nagar (Women) are made up of asbestos sheets roofs in the year 1950 for rehabilitation of refugees after partition. The department is in process of reconstruction of the old building in four storeyed new building.

It is proposed that the present workshops at ITI Pusa, Jehangir Puri having asbestos sheets roof would be converted into multistoried building having RCC workshop on ground floor and other light engineering trades on upper floors. This will also enable the department to increase the seating capacity for utilization of land available.

The department is also having the staff quarters. Renovation of the old quarters which are 25-30 years old is required. For major alteration / renovation of the quarters, the funds are required. Besides, these residential campuses as well ITI buildings require continuous maintenance and renovations in the Labs / Workshops like providing false ceiling, sound proof partitions, providing of Bus-bars, repairs of electrical installations and various other civil works.

Setting up of new Industrial Training Institutes

The existing sixteen Industrial Training Institutes & one Basic Training Centre (BTC) in Delhi, which are imparting training under the Craftsmen Training Scheme of DGE&T, Govt. of India are functioning in the National Capital Territory of Delhi. To overcome the scarcity of the skilled manpower in the coming years, it is proposed to set up new I.T.I.s in the National Capital Territory of Delhi.

Keeping in view the population of NCT of Delhi, the assessed requirement of intake is of about 15000 trainees. The settings up of three ITIs at Ranhola village, Chhattarpur Village and ITI at Mangolpuri are under process. The construction of ITI Mangolpuri at a cost of ₹ 21.53 crore has already been approved in the month of August, 2013. Likely date of completion of construction of building is March 2015. 25% work completed. The department has also requested DDA to allot additional land (1.18 acres) in adjacent to the 0.4 hectare already allotted for setting up of ITI Mangolpuri.

6. World Class Skills Development Centre

Annual Plan Outlay 2014-15 : ₹5600 Lakh

The Government of NCT of Delhi decided to set up a world class skill development centre at Jonapur, Delhi in collaboration with Institute of Technical education, Singapore.

The project was approved by Delhi Cabinet on 12-06-12 and MoU has already been signed with ITE, Singapore on 11th July 2012. The project, on completion will train around 15000 trainees per annum.

The main aim of setting up World Class Skill Centre

- To enhance the training skills of aspirants in Delhi and create skilled manpower as per the requirement of Indian and global industries.
- To enhance the training standards and upgrade the skill of the trainees.
- To cater the need of the population of Delhi as well as rest of the country.
- To change the mindset among the aspirants and to provide a methodological approach towards vocational training in Delhi.

The following courses shall be offered at the centre

Hospitality and Tourism	IT & IT Enabled Services
Health Care	 Automobile
Retail Merchandising	• Logistics
Production & Manufacturing	 Accounting, Banking & Finance
• Electronics	 Food Processing etc

The Center has started functioning from its temporary campus at ITI Vivek Vihar in two sectors i.e. Hospitality operations and Retail Services .

About ₹ 50 Crore will be utilized for construction of building for the center and about ₹ 6 Crore will be utilized towards examination, certification of students, training of trainers and management staff at Singapore.

7. Entrepreneurship development and interfacing with ndustries

Annual Plan Outlay 2014-15 : ₹1 Lakh

Despite all out efforts of modernization, the quality and relevance of training programs has not kept pace with industrial development taking place in the Country and the World, with the result that the students coming out of our Institutes are not able to meet the standards of the Industry. To develop the skill in the institutes as per the requirement of the industry, it is necessary to interact with the industries for up-gradation of the training techniques and machineries etc. to reduce skill gaps.

Industry Institute interaction activity is one of the thrust areas identified in National Education Policy. There are sufficient component which needs to be stepped up for the appropriate growth of the skilled workers programme. This activity is thus proposed to be given a boost in the 12th Five Year Plan period. It is proposed to take up the following activities:

- Conduct of Guest Lectures by inviting professionals from Industry on specialized topics. Visit of the students to the industry for training on specialized and sophisticated Machinery & techniques.
- Deputation of faculty to various Teachers Development Programme.
- Collaborative agreements at unit level could also be drawn and finalized at Institute's level.
- Signing the MoA/MoU with the industries for cooperation in imparting the training to trainees as per the global requirement.

All the expenses on payment of Guest Lecturers, conveyance and remuneration to them and conveyance paid to the staff and students for visit to industrial establishments etc will be met from the plan budget allocated under the scheme.

8. Awards for Trainers of ITIs.

Annual Plan Outlay 2014-15 : ₹ 1 Lakh

There is about 750 instructional staff in 81 disciplines /trades, which includes Crafts Instructors, Group Instructors besides other supporting staff. Government is to reward the best employees as at present there are no motivating factors for those who maintain best standards.

The state level and India level Skill competition is being held annually and amount of $\rat{1000}$ - (State level) & $\rat{6000}$ -(all India level) on each occasion is awarded to the trainer if his trainee stood first in the competition which is very less amount.

So further motivate the trainer and effective use of machineries and equipments for the training there is a need to identify best trainer and suitably awarding him so as to not only create awareness but also motivate fellow trainers.

9. Takniki Shiksha Sansthan Kalyan Samiti (TASSKS).

Annual Plan Outlay 2014-15 : ₹ 10 Lakh

A committee in all institutes has been constituted through participation from local industrialist, Principal, student, senior staff, and other personalities to look after the day to day work of the respective institutes such as: Minor repair of Building of the institutes, Minor repair of electrical work of the institutes, Maintenance of Equipment, tools, machineries, Purchase of raw material required urgently, Repair of signage boards, replacement of window panes, repair of furniture viz. dual desks, chairs, tables etc. It is proposed to provide ₹ 2 Lakhs (ceiling) per institute / ITI for this purpose.

10. Technical Education Community Outreach Scheme (TECOS)

Annual Plan Outlay 2014-15 : ₹50 Lakh

A list of approximately 200 courses is prepared and these courses are run in participation with NGO in the field of basic needs of the community and funds are given to NGOs for each course for 50 students (2 batches of 25 students per batch). Each course is of 3 months duration. Some of the areas are as under, as on date:

- A. Computer fundamental, M.S Office, Internet and soft skill
- B. Tailor ladies
- C. Make up artist
- D. Basic sewing operator
- E. Banking and Accounting
- F. Fire and rescue operator etc.

During 2013-14, 17 NGOs imparted training under the scheme. 3732 trainees got trained.

11. World Bank Assisted Vocational Training Improvement Project (VTIP)

Annual Plan Outlay 2014-15 : ₹40 Lakh (State share)

The objective of the scheme is to upgrade selected ITIs under a Centrally Sponsored project, entitled **Vocational Training Improvement Project** with financial assistance from the International Development Association within the World Bank through DGE&T, Ministry of Labour, by introducing new multi-skilling modular courses, improving physical infrastructure facilities, adopting new training methodology with close involvement of industry and other stakeholders; and, empowering ITIs by providing adequate managerial, administrative and financial autonomy, building up partnership with the nearby industries and setting up of Institute Management Committees.

Four ITIs have been upgraded into Centre of Excellence in different Sectors under Domestic Funding of DGE&T Ministry of Labour, Government of India. These are ITI Pusa (Automobile Sector), ITI Arab-Ki-Sarai (Production and manufacturing Sector), Sir CV Raman ITI (Electrical Sector) and ITI Jail Road (Information Technology Sector).

ITI Pusa was upgraded with domestic funding of DGE&T, Ministry of Labour and other three ITI have been upgraded with World Bank Assistance released through Ministry of Labour. Under another scheme "Up-gradation of 1396 Govt. ITIs", with World Bank Assistance programme, following ITIs are being upgraded by constituting the Institute Management Committee (IMC) of respective institute (ITI): In this scheme funds of ₹ 2.5 Crore are released directly to the IMC and IMC shall stand responsible for development of the institute, operation, improvement of training, closing and opening of the trades, etc. Directorate General of Employment & Training, Ministry of Labour has given interest free loan of ₹ 2.50 Crore to the society for up gradation of the concerned ITI. The funding pattern as per the existing scheme is 75% of the total expenditure would be reimbursed by DGE&T, under World Bank Project. DGE&T so far has released Central assistance to tune of ₹ 521.42 Lakhs for three ITIs & SPIU. The scheme was formulated by Govt of India for 5 years, so only

matching share of unspent balance will be required.

12. GIA to Delhi Skills Mission Society (DSMS)

Annual Plan Outlay 2014-15 : ₹20 Lakh

"Delhi Skills Mission Society" (DSMS) under the Chairpersonship of Hon'ble Chief Minister has been set up as a part of National Skill Development Programme. State level Skill Development Mission is to provide inter-sectoral co-ordination at the state level. The aim of the "Delhi Skills Mission Society" is to contribute to Delhi's development and to contribute to Delhi's inclusive economic growth through skill up-gradation in the areas having high market demand thereby contributing and generating self-employment. The Delhi Skills Mission will also ensure time-bound training to the targeted number of high quality skilled personnel, across the strata of society and among the disadvantaged sections. The mission is to provide skill development training to the Students passing out from schools, Unemployed youth and school drop-outs, Informal sector workers.

In order to achieve the vision envisaged in the preamble the Delhi Skills Mission will have the following objectives:

- To generate marketable skills and to enable 25% of the needy population to become skilled in three years and to have 50 % of the needy population skill empowered in five years. Other objectives are:
- To upgrade the existing Industrial Training Institutes into Centers of Excellence by suitably upgrading the infrastructure facilities, revamping obsolete programmes and introducing new programmes of relevance and demand.
- To encourage establishment of new Industrial Training Institutes as fully autonomous entities having administrative, financial and academic autonomy,
- To encourage private participants to establish skill and vocational training centers, so as to train larger numbers of needy youth.
- To develop skills training providers to conduct programmes under multiple modes like, modular employable Skills programme, entrepreneurial skill programmes, etc.
- To support institutions and organizations both in the Government and Private sectors, to conduct Modular Employable skills training programmes. To encourage all concerned entities to train the youth towards Self Employment and Entrepreneurship skills, with emphasis on bankable skills and to encourage formation of Self Help Groups /Multipurpose Job Clubs; to provide necessary subsidies to the trainees, where there is a viability gap in the funding available to self-help groups of trainees.

- To bring all the Government initiatives related to vocational/skill development training programmes and related activities under the common umbrella of the Skills Mission, like the initiatives of the Departments of Training and Technical Education, Social welfare, Industries, Labour, SC/ST/OBC/ Minority Welfare and other vocational training providers (Private Initiatives), so as to achieve a coordinated target within a specified timeframe and to support /supplement / subsidize such initiatives.
- To establish linkages with evaluating/certifying agencies (Third party) like NCVT, SCVT, BTE and international certifying agencies, like City & Guilds to ensure quality and uniformity in certification so as to make the certified candidates acceptable for wage employment nationally as well as globally.
- Linking Delhi skill development activities to employment abroad: One of the major drivers behind the Skill Development Mission is the demand supply gap of skilled workers, internationally. It is proposed to develop ITIs to international standards in collaboration with various country partners. Development of these ITIs to international standards would be planned, funded and implemented through the Delhi Skills Mission.

The department has launched a scheme namely "Earn While You Learn" for maintenance of Government buildings by the ITIs of Delhi as a Pilot Project under Delhi Skills Mission Society.