

Government of India
Ministry of Skill Development and Entrepreneurship
Apprenticeship division

Subject: Minutes of Meeting of the 6th Meeting of National Steering Committee (NSC) of Skills Strengthening for Industrial Value Enhancement (STRIVE) under the Chairmanship of Joint Secretary, MSDE on 12th December 2022 at Shram Shakti Bhawan, New Delhi

The sixth meeting of National Steering Committee of STRIVE was convened under the chairmanship of Joint Secretary, Skill Development and Apprenticeship, Ministry of Skill Development and Entrepreneurship. The meeting took place on 12th December, 2022 at 4:30 pm in Room No. 320 at Shram Shakti Bhawan (SSB). A list of members present in the meeting is at *Annexure I*.

2. At the outset, JS, Skill Development and Apprenticeship, MSDE welcomed all the participants for being part of the meeting. Thereafter following agenda items were discussed.

3. Agenda Item #1: Selection of additional 67 Industry Clusters under STRIVE Programme

3.1 The Committee was informed that during the Scale up phase of STRIVE project launched by DGT, a total of 93 Industry Cluster applications across 14 States/UTs were found meeting the qualification criteria and were thus recommended by State Steering Committee (SSC) and further evaluated by National Cluster Evaluation Committee (NCEC) to select 24 clusters out of eligible clusters. Out of this pool, post selection under STRIVE and SANKALP a total of 49 Industry Clusters are remaining in the existing pool.

3.2 The Committee approved the selection of 49 Industry Clusters which are recommended by State Steering Committee and evaluated by National Cluster Evaluation Committee (NCEC) during previous selection phases. The list of approved 49 Industry Clusters is at *Annexure II*.

3.3 For the selection of remaining 19 Industry Clusters, Committee empowered Director, Apprenticeship to select Clusters from those States/UTs where no ICs have been selected so far taking an inclusive, balanced, and equitable approach.

4. Agenda Item #2: Revised implementation process for the 67 newly selected Industry Clusters

Committee decided that the implementation of apprenticeship training in the 67 newly selected Industry Clusters will be in accordance to the guidelines of NAPS and STRIVE Operational Manual. It was also decided that the challenges faced by the Industry Clusters during the course of implementation will be observed and the issues will be resolved on a case-to-case basis.

5. In his concluding remarks, Joint Secretary, MSDE directed that Industry Clusters will be assisted and handholding will be given through regular video conferences with ICs, spreading awareness about apprenticeship training for ICs and organising monthly review meetings with ICs for effective implementation under STRIVE.
6. The meeting was ended with Vote of Thanks to Chair.

Members present during the Sixth meeting of National Steering Committee of
STRIVE

1. Dr. K.K. Dwivedi, Joint Secretary, MSDE
2. Mr. Amresh Kumar Jha, Deputy Secretary, IFD, MSDE
3. Smt. Anita Srivastava, Director, MSDE
4. Mr. Sanjeev Sharma, Additional Director, Department of Skill Development and Industrial Training, Haryana
5. Mr. Punendu, Director, NCVET
6. Mr. Achint Kumar, Under Secretary, Ministry of Education
7. Mr. Hemant D Ganjare, Joint Director, DGT, MSDE
8. Mr. Deena Madhvan, Director, Kerala Skill Development Department
9. Mr. Anand Mohan Jha, Senior VP-SSC, Apprenticeship and State Engagement, NSDC
10. Mr. Aman Srivastava, Assistant Director, MSDE
11. Ms. Divyeta Goel, Head Apprenticeship, NSDC

List of 49 additional Industry Clusters selected by National Steering Committee

S.No.	Name of Industry Cluster	State	Cluster profile
1.	Indian Drug Manufacturers' Association (IDMA)	Gujarat	Pharma
2.	AJI GIDC Industries Association	Gujarat	Mix- Largely Engineering
3.	Chitra Industries Association	Gujarat	Mix- Largely Engineering
4.	Shapar Veraval Industrial Association	Gujarat	Mix- Largely Engineering
5.	Human Development and Research Foundation	Gujarat	Mix - not specific; largely engineering
6.	POR Ramangamdi Ind. Estate Association	Gujarat	Mix- Largely Engineering
7.	Saurashtra Chamber Trust Bhavnagar	Gujarat	Mix- Largely Engineering
8.	Gujarat State Small Industries Federation	Gujarat	Mix- Largely Engineering
9.	Vatva Industries Association (VIA)	Gujarat	Mix- Largely Engineering
10.	Gandhinagar Electronics Zone Industries Association (GEZIA)	Gujarat	Mix- Largely Electronics
11.	FICCI Gujarat Industrial Cluster	Gujarat	Mix-not specific
12.	Dediyasan Industrial Estate Association	Gujarat	Mix- Engineering, Plastic, Pharma
13.	Vitthal Udyognagar Industries Association	Gujarat	Mix-Largely Engineering
14.	Jila Laghu Udyog Sangh, Industrial Area, Sadar, Bilaspur	Himachal Pradesh	Mix-Largely Engineering
15.	Himachal Chambers of Commerce and Industry (HCCI)Paonta-Sahib Simraur	Himachal Pradesh	Mix-not specific
16.	Rohtak Metal Finishers Association, Rohtak	Haryana	Manufacturing - Metal Finishing
17.	All India Confederation of Small & Micro Industry Association	Haryana	Auto Parts
18.	Faridabad Industries Association	Haryana	Mix-not specific; largely engineering
19.	DLF Industries Association	Haryana	Mix-not specific

20.	Manesar Industry Welfare Association, Gurugram	Haryana	Mix - largely Automotive
21.	Mysore Industries Association	Karnataka	Automotive and Engineering
22.	North Kanara District Small Scale Industries Association	Karnataka	Manufacturing
23.	Peenya Industries Association	Karnataka	Manufacturing
24.	District Small Industries Association (DSIA)	Karnataka	Manufacturing
25.	Maha Clusters Council	Maharashtra	Engineering
26.	Shiroli Manufacturers Association	Maharashtra	Engineering
27.	Manufacturers Association of Kagal-Hatkanangale (MAKH)	Maharashtra	Engineering
28.	Mahratta Chamber of Commerce, Industries and Agriculture	Maharashtra	Mix largely Engineering and Automotive
29.	Nashik Engineering Cluster (NEC)	Maharashtra	Engineering
30.	Marathwada Association of Small-Scale Industries and Agriculture	Maharashtra	Mix - not specific
31.	Automotive Component Manufacturers Association of India	Maharashtra	Automotive
32.	Pithampur Audhyogik Sangathan	Madhya Pradesh	Mix largely Engineering
33.	Indian Pharmaceutical Association Indore	Madhya Pradesh	Pharma
34.	Jabalpur Chamber of Commerce and Industry	Madhya Pradesh	Hospitality
35.	Odisha Automobile Development Association	Odisha	Automotive
36.	Odisha Industries Association	Odisha	Mix - not specific
37.	JAE Viswakarma	Odisha	Construction and Design Consultancy Services
38.	Seikh Allaiddin Memorial Trust	Odisha	Cold Storage
39.	Teisipur Coir Cluster	Odisha	Coir
40.	Tiruppur Exporters Association	Tamil Nadu	Apparel sector - Garments

41.	Hosur Small and Tiny Industries Association (HOSTIA)	Tamil Nadu	Mix-not specific
42.	Madurai District Tiny & Small-Scale Industries Association (MADITSSIA)	Tamil Nadu	Mix-not specific
43.	Coimbatore Industrial Infrastructure Association (COINDIA)	Tamil Nadu	Mix-not specific
44.	Namakkal District Small Industries Association	Tamil Nadu	Mix - not specific
45.	NIFTTEA Knitwear Fashion Institute	Tamil Nadu	Textile and Apparel
46.	The Southern India Mills Association	Tamil Nadu	Textile
47.	Indian Texpreneurs Federation	Tamil Nadu	Textile and Apparel
48.	Pashamylaram Notified Grama Panchayath Industrial Area Service Society	Telangana	Mix - not specific
49.	Telangana Industrialists Welfare Federation, Patigadda Secunderabad	Telangana	Mix - not specific