Rural Mason Assessment Conducted at Mahasamund, Chattisgarh

PMAY-G: Rural Mason assessment being conducted by Proximo Educational Society at Mahasamund, Chhattisgarh on 7th to 8th October 2020. Total 25 candidates participated in the assessment. The assessment was conducted in two days. Proper social distancing and safety norms are being followed by the team during assessments.
Rural Mason Assessment Conducted at Sundargarh, Odisha

PMAY-G: Rural Mason assessment being conducted by TAG Assessors Guild Private Limited at Sundargarh, Odisha on 3rd to 4th October 2020. Total 30 candidates participated in the assessment. The assessment was conducted in two days. Proper social distancing and safety norms are being followed by the team during assessments.
Training of Assessors conducted at Angul, Odisha

CSDCI is conducting the training of assessors (TOA) at OPJCC Angul, Odisha of Rural mason Trade from 6th October 2020 to 16th October 2020. Proper social distancing and safety norms are being followed by the team during assessments.
Ministry of Skill Development & Entrepreneurship has vide letter no MSDE-1(1)/2018-AP(PMU) dated 2nd April 2019 stipulated that Industries/establishments can engage apprentice from any of the following category of apprentices, as per their respective requirement to fulfill the mandate of Apprentice Act 1961 (amended 2014) and Apprenticeship Rule (amended 2015) -

1. Trade apprentice
2. Graduate apprentice
3. Technician apprentice
4. Technician (vocational) apprentice
5. Optional trade apprentice

The sum of all total apprentices under various categories will qualify for compliance of provision of Section 7B (3) of Apprenticeship Rule (amended 2015). All establishment are accordingly required to post their Apprenticeship deployment plan on portal (while declaring the strength of manpower of the establishment) every quarter by the 15th of April, 15th of July, 15th of October and 15th January.

**Monthly/Weekly Statistics**

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Skilling, Re-skilling, Up-skilling and Industry-Connect necessary for Vision of USD 5 trillion: Skills Minister

Dr Mahendra Nath Pandey, Minister for Skill Development and Entrepreneurship while addressing the 115th annual general meeting of industry chamber PHDCCI via video conference said, “plans are underway to skill, re-skill and up-skill the migrant workers across the country and preparations are complete in this regard. We will skill migrants who are unskilled, re-skill those having skill gaps and up-skill those who want to develop further skills.” PHD Chamber of Commerce and Industry (PHDCCI) organized a video conference for its 115th Annual General Meeting on 7th October 2020.

Dr. Mahendra Nath Pandey mentioned about the importance of Atmanirbhar Skilled Employee Employer Mapping (ASEEM), a database to bridge the gap of demand and supply of skilled workforce across the sectors.

Shri Sanjay Aggarwal, Senior Vice President, PHD Chamber, in his presidential remarks said that the education and skill development holds a crucial place for supporting India in its journey towards being Atmanirbhar. At this juncture, the focus of the Centre and the States should be to work together to increase the public investment in Education sector to at least reach 6% of GDP at the earliest.
Keep Our Workplace Safe!

Practice good hygiene

- Stop hand shakes and use non-contact greeting methods
- Clean hands at the door and schedule regular hand washing reminders
- Disinfect surfaces like doorknobs, tables, and desks regularly
- Avoid touching your face and cover your coughs and sneezes
- Increase ventilation by opening windows or adjusting air conditioning

Limit meetings and non-essential travels

- Use video conferencing instead of face-to-face meetings
- When video calls are not possible, hold your meetings in well-ventilated rooms and spaces
- Suspend all non-essential travels and trips

Stay home if...

- You are feeling sick
- You have a sick family member at home

Take care of your emotional and mental well-being

Outbreaks are a stressful and anxious time for everyone. Take care of your loved ones.

SOURCE: CDC.GOV