



Rural Self-Employment Training Centers

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On September 25, 2021, **Chhattisgarh Panchayat and Rural Development Minister TS Singhdeo** released the Annual Activity Report, 2020-21 of **Rural Self-Employment Training Centers (RSETI)** operating in the state.

Key Points

- This report has been prepared by the independent agency **National Academy of RUDSETI (NAR), Bangalore** as per the guidelines of **the Ministry of Skill Development, Government of India**.
- While releasing the report, **Singhdeo** said that under **Chhattisgarh State Rural Livelihood Mission**, rural self-employment training centers operating in **18 districts** of the state are being made self-supporting by providing free residential training to **the youth for various employment-oriented activities**.
- In the **financial year 2020-21, 302 training sessions** were organized in the state. In which **7003 youth** have been provided **self-employment based training** as per their interest in Bank Mitras, General Entrepreneurship Development, Mushroom Production, Papad Manufacturing, Pickle Manufacturing, Spices Manufacturing, Agarbatti Manufacturing, Candle Manufacturing, Vermicompost Manufacturing, Sewing, Dairy Farming etc.
- **95 percent of the people trained in these centers are women**. On the basis of social inclusion, 36 percent of the Scheduled Tribes, 15 percent of the Scheduled Castes, 46 percent of the Other Backward Classes and four percent of the general category beneficiaries have been trained through these centers.
- **Singhdeo** directed the **Assistant Controller of Assessment and Certification Branch, Arun Kumar Soni**, who was present during the release of the report, to organize training programs for the needy **rural youth in the streams of their interest, while ensuring the quality of training**.