

169 pvt institutions in UP to train youth for startup firms

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Lucknow: Claiming that efforts made by the Yogi Adityanath government to prepare a skilled workforce in state have started reaping results, an official spokesperson on Thursday said UP was set to bring 169 private institutions of In-

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dia on board for training of youth on startups.

Crediting the development to UP's Start-up Training Policy, 2023, the spokesperson added that the private institutions will start training youth through the centers in UP September onwards after the proposal gets approval from the State Executive Committee.

Officials in the department concerned informed that each centre will train 250 persons. The training period will be three to six

months depending on the kind of course/module.

They added that to implement the Start-up Training Policy, 2023, a special request for proposal was taken out by the government in January 2023. In response, 233 institutions applied for registration as start-up training providers, of which, 169 applicants were selected. Another 12 institutions have been asked to weed out errors from their proposals to get accepted.

They also said the government will now enter into an MOU with the selected 169 firms which will pave way for allotment of students so that their training may begin. UP Skill Development Mission director Andra Vamsi said industry needed workforce and quality had been kept in mind before selection of the firms in the best interest of the students and the training companies.