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Any region's economic development is largely dependent on the entrepreneurship of its people. Actually, one of the Major reasons for the poor economic growth of any region is apparent lack of entrepreneurship in the society. In other word, the entrepreneurship development is essential for the economic development of the region.

Entrepreneurship development is one form of human resources development for which an agricultural approach of development is important. The human related to entrepreneurship is an entrepreneur. Entrepreneur is a social status and entrepreneurship is corresponding role. Technically, an entrepreneur is one, who is innovative, creative and possesses the required degree of motivation i.e. the science of conversion of ideas into actions. However, there are so many misconceptions, misunderstandings in the society regarding the entrepreneur and entrepreneurship development. Therefore, society creates the hurdles in the development of entrepreneurship. Hence, social attitudes and values much necessarily change for the development of entrepreneurship, and this is only possible through mass education and research.

In view of this, an attempt is made in the present study to examine the issue of entrepreneurship development

in small industry located in the two industrial estates in the Barshi Twon.

The whole study is divided into five chapters. Chapter first relates to research methodology. Second chapter designs the conceptual framework of entrepreneur and entrepreneurship development. Chapter third explores the entrepreneurial environment in Barsi. Fourth Chapter concerns with entrepreneurship development in Barsi i.e. Analysis and interpretation of data and last Chapter summarise the whole study and pinpoints the conclusions and provides the suggestions.