

Setting up of Industries in undeveloped Districts

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(a) the names of districts which are industrially undeveloped, State-wise;

(b) whether any scheme is pending with the Government to set up industries in such undeveloped districts; and

(c) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY (PROF. P. J. KURIEN): (a) A statement showing list of centrally declared backward Districts is attached.

(b) and (c) The Government in June 1988 announced a scheme for setting up of growth centres throughout the country for industrialisation of backward areas. Under the scheme it is proposed to develop 70 growth centres in the first phase.

STATEMENT

List of Industrially Backward Districts in the Country

Andhra Pradesh (14)	Anantapur, Chittoor, Cuddapah, Karimnagar, Khammam, Kurnool, Mehbubnagar, Medak, Nalgonda, Nellore, Nizamabad, Ongole, Srikakulam and Warangal.
Bihar (18)	Bhagalpur, Champaran, Darbhanga, Muaffarpur, Palamau, Purnea, Saharsa, Santhal Parganas, Saran, Nalanda, Aurangabad, Nawadah, Gaya, Bhojpur, Begusarai, Monghyr, Khagaria and Madhepur.
Gujarat (11)	Amreli, Banaskantha, Bhavnagar, Broach, Junagadh, Kutch, Mehsana, Panchmahals, Sabarkantha, Surendernagar and Dang.
Haryana (4)	Bhiwani, Hissar, Jind and Mohindergarh
Kerala (7)	Alleppey, Cannanore, Malapuram, Trichur, Trivandrum, Wynad and Iddukki.
Karnataka (11)	Belgaum, Bidar, Bijapur, Dharwar, Gulbarga, Hasan, Mysore, North Kanara, Raichur, South Kanara and Tumkur.
Madhya Pradesh (36)	Balaghat, Bastar, Betul, Bilaspur, Bhind, Chhatarpur, Chindwara, Domoh, Datia, Dhar, Dewas, Guna, Hoshangabad, Jhabua, Khargone, Mandla, Mandsaur, Morena, Narsimhapur, Panna, Raigarh, Raipur, Rajnandgaon, Rajgarh, Raisen, Ratlam, Rewa, Sagar, Seoni, Shajapur, Shivpuri, Sidhi, Surguja, Tikamgarh, Vidisha and New Sehore District.
Maharashtra (14)	Aurangabad, Bhandara, Bhir, Buldhana, Chandrapur, Colaba, Dhulia, Jalgaon, Nanded, Osmanabad, Parbhani, Ratnagiri, Yeotmal and Gadchiroli.

Orissa (8)	Balasore, Bolangir, Dhenkanal, Kalahandi, Keonjhar, Koraput, Mayurbhanj, and Phulbani.
Punjab (5)	Bhatinda, Ferozpur, Gurdaspur, Hoshiarpur and Sangrur.
Rajasthan (16)	Alwar, Banswara, Bhilwara, Barmer, Churu, Dungarpur, Jaisalmer, Jalore, Jhunjhunu, Jhalwar, Jodhpur, Nagaur, Sikar, Sirohi, Tonk and Udaipur.
Tamil Nadu (9)	Dharmapuri, Kanyakumari, Madhurai, North Arcot, Ramanathapuram, South Arcot, Thanjavur, Tiruchirapalli and Pudukkottai district.
Uttar Pradesh (41)	Almora, Azamgarh, Badaun, Baharaich, Ballia, Banda, Barabanki, Basti, Bulandshahar, Chamoli, Deoria, Etah, Etawah, Faizabad, Farrukhabad, Fathehpur, Ghazipur, Gonda, Hamirpur, Harodoi, Jalaun, Jaunpur, Jhansi, Mainpuri, Mathura, Moradabad, Pilibhit, Pithoragarh, Partapgarh, Rai-Bereli, Rampur, Unnao, Uttar Kashi, Kanpur Dehat, Pauri Garhwal, Tehri Garhwal, Dehradun, & Nainital, Shahajanpur, Sitapur and Sultanpur.
West Bengal (13)	Bankura, Birbhum, Burdwan, Cooch-Behar, Darjeeling, Hooghly, Jalpaiguri, Malda, Midnapur, Murshidabad, Nadia, Purulia and West Dinajpur.
Assam	Entire State
Himachal Pradesh	Entire State
Jammu & Kashmir	Entire State
Manipur	Entire State
Meghalaya	Entire State
Nagaland	Entire State
Sikkim	Entire State
Tripura	Entire State
Arunachal Pradesh	Entire State
Goa	Entire State
Mizoram	Entire State
Andaman & Nicobar Islands	Entire U.T.
Dadra & Nagar Haveli	Entire U.T.
Daman & Diu	Entire U.T.
Pondicherry	Entire U.T.
Lakshadweep	Entire U.T.

NOTE : The district/area would include the district/area as it existed on 1-10-70 prior to its reorganization. Areas carved out of these districts thereafter continued to be industrially backward.