SI. No.	Name of the Project	Year of Sanction	Amount Sanctioned	Amount Released	Status/likely date of completion
13.	Water sports at Chilka Lake	1987-88	21.96	20.00	-do-
14.	Wayside amenities at Bhadrak	1988-89	9.09	8.01	Likely to be completed by December, 1994
	Total		. 138.49	115.79	

Textile Machinery

2524. SHRI A. VENKATESH NAIK: Will the Minister of COMMERCE be pleased to state:

- (a) the total production and exports of textile machinery during 1993-94 as compared to the last year;
- (b) the countries to which exports were made during the above period; and
- (c) the steps taken by the Government to boost the export of textile machinery?

THE MINISTER OF COMMERCE (SHRI PRANAB MUKHERJEE): (a) Details of production and export of textile machinery during April-December, 1993 in comparision with April-December, 1992 are furnished below:—

(Rs. in Crores)

Year P	roduction	Export	
April-December'92.	720.00	103.50	
April-December'93.	795.00	85.00	

(Source: Engineering Export Promotion Council) (Proivisional)

- (b) the major markets for exports of textile machineries are: Switzerland, CIS, Bangladesh, Nigeria, Indonesia, Sri Lanka, Germany, Thailand, Egypt, Kenya and Sudan
- (c) Steps taken to promote export of engineering items including that of textile machinery, include facility for duty free import of inputs under a Advanced Licensing Scheme, facility of import at concessional duty of capital goods required for export production, duty drawback and Income Tax reliefs available to exporters. Export Promotion assistance is also available under Various Schemes of Engineering Export Promotion Council and International Trade Promotion Organisation.

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Conference of Chief Ministers

2525. SHRI NARAIN SINGH
CHAUDHARY:
SHRI S.B. SIDNAL:
SHRI D. VENKATESWARA
RAO:
SHRI BOLLA BULLI
RAMAIAH:

Will the Minister of COMMERCE be pleased to state: