

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
TEXTILES
LOK SABHA**

STARRED QUESTION NO:122
ANSWERED ON:03.03.2000
HANDLOOM DEVELOPMENT CENTRES AND QUALITY DYEING UNITS
TEJVEER SINGH

Will the Minister of TEXTILES be pleased to state:

- (a) the total number of Handloom Development Centres and Quality Dyeing Units functioning at present in the country, State-wise;
- (b) the number of new Handloom Development Centres and Quality Dyeing Units proposed to be set up during 2000-2001, State-wise; and
- (c) the funds likely to be allocated for the purpose during the above period, State-wise?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF TEXTILES

(SHRI KASHIRAM RANA)

(a) to (c) A Statement is laid on the Table of the House.

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO LOK SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO. 122 TO BE ANSWERED ON 3.3.2000

(a) As reported by the State Governments, 1459 Handloom Development Centres & 310 Quality Dyeing Units are functioning in the country at present. A statement showing State-wise details is annexed as Annexure-I.

(b & c) The Scheme had been closed with effect from 1.4.1998, hence no new Handloom Development Centres and Quality Dyeing Units are proposed to be set up during 2000-2001. However, a budgetary provision of Rs. 35.00 crores have been kept under the Scheme for the remaining period of the 9th Plan as the residual central assistance to be released to functional Handloom Development Centres and Quality Dyeing Units on merit subject to the progress made by them.

ANNEXURE-I

Statement Showing number of Handloom Development Centres and Quality Dyeing Units functioning in the country.

S.No. Name of State No. of units functioning
H.D.C. Q.D.U.

1. Andhra Pradesh	327	119
2. Bihar	10	10
3. Gujarat	5	-
4. Himachal Pradesh	10	3
5. Karnataka	28	2
6. Kerala	72	12
7 Madhya Pradesh	26	1
8. Maharashtra	20	-
9. Nagaland	141	7
10. Orissa	214	40
11. Pondicherry	5	-
12. Rajasthan	1	-

13. Tamil nadu	324	36
14. Tripura	13	10
15. Uttar Pradesh	87	48
16. West Bengal	176	22

Total	1459	310
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