

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
SMALL SCALE INDUSTRIES
LOK SABHA**

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PROMOTION OF SSI
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Will the Minister of SMALL SCALE INDUSTRIES be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of Technology Resource Centres (TRCs) set up for promotion of SSIs in the country, State-wise;
- (b) whether the Union Government have started any scheme to attain Global reach by SSI units through these Centres; and
- (c) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE FOR SMALL SCALE INDUSTRIES AND DEVELOPMENT OF NORTH-EASTERN REGION (SHRI SIKDAR)

(a): Total number of Technology Resource Centre (TRCs) set up for promotion of SSIs in the country are 30 (thirty). The State-wise details are enclosed at Annexure-I.

(b) & (c): No, Sir. However, the Small Industries Development Organisation (SIDO), Ministry of Small Scale Industries through its field offices located in India assists Small Scale Industries by conducting various promotional programmes and activities.