

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
TEXTILES  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3976  
ANSWERED ON:22.08.2003  
RAI BAHADUR DAGA MILL, NTC MILL  
NARESH KUMAR PUGLIA

**Will the Minister of TEXTILES be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether the R.B. Bansilal Abirchand Spinning and Weaving mills (RBBA) in Hinganghat in Maharashtra is run by National Textile Corporation (NTC);
- (b) if so, whether this mill needs modernization and a proposal for its modernization is under consideration of the Government;
- (c) if so, the details thereof and the action taken by the Government in this regard;
- (d) whether the mills has offered VRS to its employees and workers; and
- (e) if so, the details thereof?

**Answer**

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF TEXTILES (SHRI BASANAGOUDA R. PATIL (YATNAL))

(a): Yes, Sir.

(b)&(c): The modernization plan as per Rehabilitation Scheme sanctioned by BIFR costs approximately Rs.12.21 Crores. These funds are to be mobilised from sale of surplus assets. Sale of majority of surplus assets of NTC in Maharashtra is pending for approval of Brihanmumbai Municipal Corporation. The matter is being taken up with Government of Maharashtra of early clearance of the same.

(d)&(e): No. Since the mill is slated for revival, VRS scheme has not been extended to this mill.