

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
TEXTILES
LOK SABHA**

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COMMITTEE ON TECHNICAL TEXTILES
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Will the Minister of TEXTILES be pleased to state:

- (a) whether expert committee on technical textiles has earmarked 25 technical textile products in the study conducted on scope of promoting industrial textiles in the country;
- (b) if so, whether the committee has also prepared the detailed project proposals for such products; and
- (c) if so, the extent to which it will be helpful for the Indian Textile Companies?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF TEXTILES (SHRI E.V.K.S. ELANGO VAN)

(a) : Yes, Sir, The Expert Committee on Technical Textiles (ECTT) has short-listed 25 potential products based on the industry's capability, infrastructure, market potential for initial prioritisation for development instead of thinly spreading resources on creating support infrastructure for a large number of products.

(b) : The Expert Committee on Technical Textiles has prepared some preliminary project profiles to facilitate entrepreneurial activity in the technical textile projects. The names of the projects for which such profiles has been prepared are given below: Projects for which preliminary profiles has been prepared

@ Needle punch project

@ Spunbond project

@ Industrial filter fabric

@ Geogrid project

@ Spun lace project

@ Woven geotextiles

@ Seat belt webbing project

@ Compression garment

@ Safety and protective textiles

@ Tafetta fabric

@ Agro Shade net project

@ Shoe uppers

@ Coated fabric

@ Fibre fill project

@ Double needle bar spacer project

@ Conversion activity of :

\$ Sanitary napkins

\$ Incontinence diapers

\$ Baby diapers

@ Conversion activity of health care disposables

@ Surgical dressing

(c) : The project profiles provide information relating to details of MES, basic minimum configuration of machinery, supplier of machinery, market size, investment, profitability, pay back period etc. needed by the entrepreneurs before making investment. Thus, the project profiles made by The Expert Committee on Technical Textiles would facilitate the decision making process of the potential investors/entrepreneurs with regard to investment in a particular product/product group.