

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
TEXTILES
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:666
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TRADE DELEGATION FROM JAPAN
MUTTEMWAR SHRI VILAS BABURAO

Will the Minister of TEXTILES be pleased to state:

to the reply given to Unstarred Question No. 181 on November 19, 2009 and state:

(a) whether a high level trade delegation from Japan representing Bunka Fashion College, Tokyo visited India for high level talks in the area of fashion designing; and

(b) if so, the details of the discussions held and decision with regard to the collaboration between the two countries taken?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF TEXTILES (SMT. PANABAAGA LAKSHMI)

(a) & (b): No, Madam. However, the Chairman of International Foundation of Fashion Technology Institute (IFFTI), who is also the Executive Director of the Board Bunka GAKUN, Japan made a courtesy call on Director General, National Institute of Fashion Technology (NIFT). NIFT is a founder member of IFFTI. No trade delegation has ever visited NIFT from Bunka Fashion College in the recent past.