

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
TEXTILES
LOK SABHA**

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POWERLOOM UNITS
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Will the Minister of TEXTILES be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of powerloom units functioning in the country particularly in the rural areas and backward areas like Telangana region in Andhra Pradesh, Statewise;
- (b) the funds released and utilised by these units during the last three years and the current year, year-wise; and
- (c) the incentives given during the period to those units functioning in the backward areas?

Answer

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

(a): Details of Powerloom units, State-wise, functioning in the country is at Annexure. The details of powerloom units functioning in the rural and backward area of Telangana region in the State of Andhra Pradesh are as follows:

Sl.No.	Rural & Backward Districts in the Telangana Region of Andhra Pradesh	No. of Powerlooms	No. of Units
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1.	Karimnagar	3781	30256
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2.	Nalgonda	812	6500
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3.	Warangal	188	1500
	Total	4781	38256

(b) & (c): The subsidy released to the units in Andhra Pradesh including Telangana region under 20% Margin Money Subsidy (MMS) under Technology Upgradation Fund Scheme (TUFS) is as under:

Year	Fund Released & Utilised (Rs.in lakh)
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2006 - 07	Nil
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2007 - 08	15.75
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2008 - 09	59.68
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2009 - 10 (upto Feb.2010)	67.42
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Total	142.85
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