

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
TEXTILES
LOK SABHA**

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INCENTIVE FOR TRIBAL COMMUNITY
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Will the Minister of TEXTILES be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government is providing any incentive to encourage tribal people associated with the textile sector;
- (b) if so, the details thereof for the current Five Year Plan for these scheduled areas; and
- (c) the funds allocated to create awareness among the tribals of these scheduled areas?

Answer

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

(a) & (b): Yes, Madam. Incentives are being provided to all workers engaged in the textile industry such as weavers, artisans including tribal people. A statement showing the names of various schemes/programmes in the textile sector being implemented by the Union Government during the current Five Year Plan in the country including the scheduled areas is given at Annexure.

(c): There is no specific fund allocation for creation of awareness among the tribals of these scheduled areas as all the schemes are being implemented through out the country.