

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
TEXTILES  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:4527  
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JUTE CORPORATION OF INDIA  
Pangi Shri Jayaram

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

- (a) whether the Government has entrusted the Jute Corporation of India, the work of procuring jute from the jute growers without any ceiling;
- (b) if so, whether the Government compensates the losses incurred by the Jute Corporation of India in its operations of purchasing jute at minimum support price; and
- (c) if so, the details thereof during each of the last three years, State-wise?

**Answer**

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

(a): Yes, Madam

(b): The Government provides grants to the Jute Corporation of India Limited (JCI) to maintain infrastructure for carrying out price support operations for the purchase of raw jute at minimum support price.

(c): The details of the grants provided by the Government during the last three years to JCI to maintain its infrastructure for MSP operations is as follows:

(Rs. in crore)  
Year    Amount

2007-08	30.00
2008-09	36.59
2009-10	36.59