GOVERNMENT OF INDIA TEXTILES LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1695 ANSWERED ON:16.07.2009 TEXTILES PARKS Joshi Dr. Murli Manohar;Singh Shri Rajiv Ranjan (Lalan)

Will the Minister of TEXTILES be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has any plan to establish fifteen new textiles parks in the country;
- (b) if so, the details thereof, State-wise;
- (c) the total expenditure likely to be incurred by the Government thereon;
- (d) the number of textiles units expected to be set up under the said parks; and
- (e) the time frame stipulated for establishment of the said parks?

Answer

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

- (a): Yes Sir.
- (b): The Scheme for Integrated Textiles Parks (SITP) is not location specific. It is primarily a demand driven scheme and Industry Association / Groups of Entrepreneurs are main promoters of the Textile Park. Therefore, proposals from traditional textiles centers are generally received. Proposal that may be received from unrepresented states and the projects which are potentially viable will be given preference during the 11th Plan Period subject to the provisions of the guidelines of the scheme.
- (c): The total expenditure likely to be incurred by the Government is Rs.450 Crore (approx) within overall outlay of 11th Five Year Plan for the scheme.
- (d): The number of the textile units expected to be set up under the said parks depends upon the size of the projects and also on the types of the projects i.e whether handloom or handicraft parks.
- (e): Depending upon the nature and size of the parks, execution of project take 30-36 months from the date of approval. The new projects are expected to be completed by the end of the 11th Five Year Plan.