

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
TEXTILES
LOK SABHA**

STARRED QUESTION NO:433
ANSWERED ON:26.08.2010
INTEGRATED SKILL DEVELOPMENT SCHEME
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Will the Minister of TEXTILES be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has launched a new scheme to improve the skills of workers in various segments of the textile industry;
- (b) if so, the salient features of the said scheme alongwith the targets fixed under this scheme;
- (c) the amount earmarked for this scheme under the Eleventh Five Year Plan; and
- (d) the manner in which the resources are to be generated to meet the target fixed under this scheme?

Answer

MINISTER OF TEXTILES (SHRI DAYANIDHI MARAN)

(a) to (d): A statement is laid on the Table of the House.

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) TO (d) OF LOK SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO. 433 FOR 26.08.2010.

(a) to (d): Yes, Madam. An Integrated Skill Development Scheme for the Textiles Sector was launched by the Government in August, 2010. The salient features of the scheme are to leverage the strength of existing training institutions under the Ministry of Textiles as also to tap private sector institutions through a PPP model to address the skill gap in the textiles sector in India. The total expenditure earmarked under the scheme for training 2.56 lakh persons during the remaining two years of the 11th Five Year Plan, is 272 crores, of which the Government's contribution works out to 229 crores and Rs.43 crores would be generated through industry/beneficiary contribution.