

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
TEXTILES
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2672
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COTTON SPINNING INDUSTRY OF RAJASTHAN
Jakhar Shri Badri Ram

Will the Minister of TEXTILES be pleased to state:

- (a) whether spinning plays a special role in cotton textile industry of Rajasthan;
- (b) if so, the estimated spinning capacity of cotton textile industry in the State;
- (c) whether in order to give impetus to cotton spinning in the State, the Government proposes to award it special status; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof and the extent of unemployment reduction likely to take place through these projects in the next few years ?

Answer

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

(a) & (b): Yes, Madam. As per available records, there are 35 cotton/man-made fibre textile mills (Non-SSI) in operation in the State of Rajasthan with an installed capacity of 1.27 lakh spindles.

(c) & (d): No, Madam. Do not arise.