

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY  
LOK SABHA**

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NATIONAL MANUFACTURING POLICY  
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**Will the Minister of COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether the Government proposes to introduce a new National Manufacturing Policy;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the aims and objectives of such Policy ?

**Answer**

MINISTER OF THE STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY (SHRI JYOTIRADITYA M. SCINDIA)

(a) & (b): A discussion paper on National Manufacturing Policy was put up on the website to elicit stakeholders views, after which a draft proposal has been circulated for inter-ministerial consultations.

(c): The objectives of the proposed policy are:

- i. To increase the sectoral share of manufacturing in GDP to at least 25% by 2022;
- ii. To double the current employment level in the sector;
- iii. To increase the level of domestic value addition;
- iv. To enhance global competitiveness of the sector;
- v. To make the country an international manufacturing hub.