GOVERNMENT OF INDIA TEXTILES LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1257 ANSWERED ON:08.08.2011 NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF DESIGNS Gaddigoudar Shri P.C.;Patel Shri Bal Kumar

Will the Minister of TEXTILES be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government proposes to set up National Centres for Design in the country including Delhi, Uttar Pradesh and Karnataka; and

(b) if so, the details thereof, State-wise alongwith objectives behind setting up of these institutes and the fund allocated for the purpose during the last year and the current year?

Answer

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

(a) & (b): National Centre for Textile Design (NCTD), Delhi is functioning under the Office of the Development Commissioner for Handlooms, Ministry of Textiles to provide textile designs, colour forecast etc. on-line and to organize theme based exhibitions. There is no proposal to set up the branches of NCTD in the country. The budget allocated to the NCTD for the last year 2010-11 was Rs.85.00 lakh and the same budget has been allocated during the current year. The National Institute of Designs, Ahmedabad is functioning under the Department of Industrial Policy and Promotion (DIPP), Ministry of Commerce and Industry.