

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MICRO, SMALL AND MEDIUM ENTERPRISES  
LOK SABHA**

STARRED QUESTION NO:47  
ANSWERED ON:15.03.2012  
GROWTH AND REVIVAL OF MSMES  
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**Will the Minister of MICRO, SMALL AND MEDIUM ENTERPRISES be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether the Union Government has drawn up schemes for the development of Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises ( MSME) units in the country;
- (b) if so, the details thereof including the funds made available and utilized for the purpose, during each of the last three years and the current year, Scheme-wise and State-wise;
- (c) whether the Government proposes to revive the closed MSME units in the country and if so, the details thereof, State-wise; and
- (d) the time by which the closed MSME units in the country especially in West Bengal are likely to be revived?

**Answer**

MINISTER OF MICRO, SMALL AND MEDIUM ENTERPRISES (SHRI VIRBHADRA SINGH)

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

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (a) TO (d) IN RESPECT OF LOK SABHA STARRED QUESTION No. 47 FOR ANSWER ON 15.03.2012

(a): Ministry of Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises implements schemes for the development of Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises (MSMEs) in the country. The schemes relate to facilitating credit flow to the MSME, technology upgradation, skill development, infrastructure development and marketing and such other activities. Full details of the Schemes are available at [www.msme.gov.in](http://www.msme.gov.in).

(b): Funds allocated and utilised under the major schemes of the Ministry during last three years and current year are given at Annexure-I. State-wise allocations are not made as they are Central Schemes and driven by the demand from the industrial units/clusters/States.

(c)&(d): State-wise distribution of closed enterprises (as per the report of the 4th Census of Registered MSMEs, for the reference year 2006-07, as per survey conducted till 2009-10 and published in 2011), is at Annexure-II. The Ministry of Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises do not provide any direct financial assistance for rehabilitation of Micro and Small Enterprises (MSEs) closed due to sickness. However, financial assistance, by way of debt restructuring, including fresh loans for rehabilitation is provided by primary lending institutions (PLIs), including commercial banks, to MSEs closed due to sickness, as per RBI guidelines.

The number of sick MSEs, potentially viable enterprises and the enterprises under nursing with the amounts outstanding against them as at the end of March 2011 are at Annexure-III.

The revival of units depends on numerous factors including the pro-activeness of the entrepreneur, markets available to the entrepreneur, finances available to the entrepreneur etc. Therefore, time frames cannot be prescribed as to if and when the units can be revived.