

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

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

- (a) whether the Government has sought assistance from Germany and Britain for developing the proposed National Manufacturing and Investment Zones (NIMZ) under the Delhi-Mumbai Industrial Corridor (DMIC) project;
- (b) if so, the reaction of the above countries in this regard;
- (c) whether two manufacturing zones are notified in the Andhra Pradesh Telangana regions;
- (d) if so, the details thereof along with the total number of NIMZ notified under the DMIC project;
- (e) whether Japan and some other countries are interested in the DMIC project; and
- (f) if so, the details thereof?

**Answer**

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

- (a) & (b): Government has sought participation of investors inter-alia from Germany and Britain in the National Investment and Manufacturing Zones (NIMZs) proposed to be set up in the country.
- (c) & (d): No, Madam.
- (e) & (f): An MoU was signed between the Governments of India and Japan to develop the Delhi- Mumbai Industrial Corridor (DMIC). Japan is the partner country in the development of DMIC Project. The Government of Japan announced in December, 2011 its financial support for DMIC projects with Japanese participation to an extent of US \$ 4.5 billion in the first phase of the project.