

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

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:590

ANSWERED ON:23.11.2009

SICK INDUSTRIES

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Will the Minister of COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

(a) the number of big/small/medium industries in the country fell sick due to recent economic slowdown world-wide; and

(b) if so, the details thereof, State-wise alongwith the reasons for these industries becoming sick and measures taken by the Government to bailout these industries?

Answer

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

(a) & (b): According to information provided by Office of the Development Commissioner, Small Scale Industries, 1,02,951 units were declared sick as on 31.3.2009. According to BIFR, since 1-1-2006, 93 medium and large units were declared sick. State wise list of Small Scale units that were declared sick is at Annexure-I and the state wise details of the medium & large units that were declared sick are at Annexure-II.

The main reasons for sickness in these industrial units were inter alia, managerial problems, inadequate infrastructure, obsolete technology, delayed credit, and marketing problems.

The Government has taken a number of initiatives to stimulate growth and revival of the industrial sector. The measures include inter alia, initiative in the housing sector, such as construction of one million houses to boost affordable housing and also demand for industrial products such as cement, reduction in ad valorem CENVAT duty, provision of exclusive refinance facility, extension of Credit Guarantee Scheme limits, interest subvention of 2% for pre and post shipment export credit for labour intensive industries such as textiles, handlooms, handicrafts, leather, gems and jewellery.

Annexure-I

ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) & (b) OF LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 590 FOR ANSWERE ON 23-11-2009.

State-wise Sick Micro and Small Enterprises as at the end of March, 2009.

States / Union Territories Total Sick Units

Eastern Region

A.N. Islands	0
Arunachal Pradesh	1
Assam	1260
Bihar	4778
Jharkhand	2115
Manipur	312
Meghalaya	42
Mizoram	0
Nagaland	105
Orissa	5035
Sikkim	13
Tripura	1972
West Bengal	21416
Sub Total	37049

Northern Region

Chandigarh	116
Delhi	903
Haryana	894
Himachal Pradesh	234
J & K	564
Punjab	1788
Rajasthan	2712
Uttar Pradesh	18126
Uttaranchal	517
Sub Total	25854

Western Region

Chattisgarh	1410
D & N Haveli	562
Daman & Diu	28
Goa	117
Gujarat	3603
Madhya Pradesh	5647
Maharashtra	11696
Sub Total	23063

Southern Region

Andhra Pradesh	5201
Karnataka	3114
Kerala	3676
Pondicherry	22
Tamil Nadu	4972
Sub Total	16985
Grand Total	102951

ANNEXURE-II

ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (A) & (B) OF THE LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 590 FOR ANSWERE ON 23-11-2009.

State wise list of medium and large scale industrial units declared sick since 1-1-2006

State / Union Territories No. of sick units

Andhra Pradesh	10
Bihar	1
Dadra & Nagar Haveli	1
Gujarat	13
Haryana	2
Jharkhand	1
Karnataka	5
Kerala	4
Madhya Pradesh	4
Maharashtra	20
NCT Delhi	8
Orissa	1
Punjab	8
Rajasthan	4
Tamil Nadu	5
Uttar Pradesh	4
West Bengal	2
Total	93

