

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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TEXTILES SECTOR INFRASTRUCTURE

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Will the Minister of TEXTILES be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government proposes to develop textiles sector infrastructure by merging the old schemes;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether some State Governments have sought financial assistance for the development of textiles sector infrastructure; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof along with the suggestions made by the States and the follow up action taken by the Government?

Answer

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

(a) & (b): No Madam. However, the Scheme for Integrated Textile Parks (SITP) was approved in the 10th Five Year Plan by merging the erstwhile 'Apparel Parks for Exports Scheme (APES) and Textile Centre Infrastructure Development Scheme (TCIDS). The Scheme targets industrial clusters/ locations with high growth potential. Since Scheme for Integrated Textiles Park is a demand driven Scheme, parks can be sanctioned after receiving proper proposals. These projects are being implemented by Special Purpose Vehicle (SPV) companies owned and promoted by group of user entrepreneurs on Public Private Partnership Model.

(c): No, Madam.

(d): Does not arise.