

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

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. SETTING UP OF INDUSTRIES IN BACKWARD STATES

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

- (a) the number of industries set up /being set up particularly in the newly created States such as Chhattisgarh, Jharkhand and Uttarakhand during the last three years and the current year, State/Union Territory-wise and year-wise along with number of persons employed therein, State-wise;
- (b) the details of Centrally Sponsored Schemes/special package/financial assistance, if any, given/proposed to be given by the Government to promote industries in rural/ backward/tribal areas of each State;
- (c) the efforts made by the Government to remove regional imbalances in respect of industrial development amongst the various States/backward regions along with identification of industrially backward States in the country, if any;
- (d) the number of industries closed down and declared sick during the last three years and the current year along with the reasons for their closure and the steps taken by the Government to revive these industries; and
- (e) the details of pending projects/proposals received from various States along with the reasons for delay in according approval to these pending projects and efforts made by the Government for establishing better coordination between the States for balanced industrial growth in all parts of the country?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY (DR. E.M. SUDARSANA NATCHIAPPAN)

- (a) to (e): Information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.