

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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TEXTILE COLLEGES IN BIHAR
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Will the Minister of TEXTILES be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of the textile colleges located in Bihar under the control of the Ministry of Textiles;
- (b) whether the Government proposes to set up new textile colleges in Bihar; and
- (c) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

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

- (a): There is no textile college located in Bihar under the control of the Ministry of Textiles. However, the National Institute of Fashion Technology (NIFT), a statutory body set up by the Ministry of Textiles, has a centre at Patna since June, 2008.
- (b): There is no proposal with the Ministry of Textiles to set up new textile colleges in Bihar.
- (c): There is no apparent requirement to set up new textile colleges under the Ministry of Textiles. Textile related courses are offered in Bihar by some educational institutions.