GOVERNMENT OF INDIA TEXTILES LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1893 ANSWERED ON:04.12.2014 DEVELOPMENT AND UPLIFTMENT OF HANDLOOM SECTOR Sampath Shri Anirudhan

Will the Minister of TEXTILES be pleased to state:

- (a) the financial assistance provided by the Government for development and upliftment of handloom sector in the country during each of the last three years and the current year in the country, State-wise;
- (b) whether the Government proposes to introduce new comprehensive schemes for the handloom sector and the workers especially for women;
- (c) if so, the details thereof; and
- (d) the remedial measures taken/proposed to be taken by the Government in this regard?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) IN THE MINISTRY OF TEXTILES (SHRI SANTOSH KUMAR GANGWAR)

- (a): Financial assistance released to various State Governments under different handloom schemes/ programmes during last three years and current financial year i.e. 2014-15, year-wise and State- wise is annexed herewith.
- (b) to (d): At present, there is no such proposal under consideration of the Government. However, Office of the Development Commissioner for Hand- looms, Ministry of Textiles, Government of India has been implementing number of schemes for overall development of the handlooms and welfare of hand loom weavers including women weavers. These schemes are:
- 1. National Handloom Development Programme- two components:
- a. Comprehensive Handlooms Development Scheme (3 schemes of 11th Plan merged into this scheme. This includes Integrated Handlooms Development Scheme (IHDS), Marketing and Export Promotion Scheme (MEPS) and Diversified Handlooms Development Scheme.
- b. Revival, Reform and Restructuring (RRR) Package for handloom sector.
- 2. Handloom Weavers Comprehensive Welfare Scheme
- 3. Yarn Supply Scheme
- 4. Comprehensive Handloom Cluster Development Scheme

Details of releases made during last three years (2011-12 to 2013-14) and the current year i.e. 2014-15 to various States under different Handloom Plan Schemes

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(Rs. in Crores)
Sl. No. Name of the State INTEGRATED HANDLOOM MARKETING & EXPORT
  DEVELOPMENT SCHEME PROMOTION SCHEME
 2011-12 2012-13
                             2014-15 2011-12 2012-13
                                                            2013-14 2014-15
                   2013-14
    (as on (as on
    31.10. 31.3. 31.1
2014) 2014) 2014)
             31.3. 31.10.
1 Andhra 9.58 9.17 2.39 3.26 0.59 3.09 0.79
Pradesh
2 Arunachal 4.72 1.25 1.32 0.39 0.00 0.00 0
Pradesh
3 Assam 10.97 11.83 12.63 0.59 4.60 3.48 4.98 2.02
4 Bihar 1.05 0.00 0.00 0.39 0.43 0.04 0
5 Chhatti- 0.94 0.83 0.34 2.06 1.42 1.44 0.47
sgarh
6 Delhi 0.16 0.20 0.00 0.09 0.06 0.00 0
7 Goa 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0
8 Gujarat 2.00 1.33 0.00 0.89 0.03 0.50 0
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9 Haryana 0.08 0.00 0.00 0.21 0.15 0.05 0.10 0
10 Himachal 3.43 1.88 0.16 0.58 0.32 0.39 0.10
Pradesh
11 J&K 0.71 1.12 0.23 1.01 0.35 0.32 0.33 0.46
12 Jhar 8.90 0.00 0.73 0.00 0.00 0.00 0
khand
13 Karna- 5.62 0.73 0.98 0.26 1.86 1.04 1.71 0.87
taka
14 Kerala 9.17 2.15 1.42 0.21 0.19 0.22 0.19
15 Madhya 2.80 3.95 0.09 0 0.74 0.80 0.76 0.50
Pradesh
16 Maha- 2.22 0.62 0.42 0 1.84 2.03 1.78 1.54
rashtra
17 Manipur 19.16 3.47 9.58 2.36 1.72 1.62 1.22 0
18 Megh- 5.46 0.87 0.97 0 0.58 0.05 0.19 0.05
alaya
19 Mizoram 0.60 0.72 0.00 0 0.14 0.00 0.30 0.17
20 Naga- 19.19 4.63 1.95 0.41 2.37 1.77 1.94 0.40
land
21 Orissa 14.10 7.28 2.45 0 0.59 0.23 0.49 0.21
22 Pondi- 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0
cherry
23 Punjab 0.15 0.00 0.00 0 0.00 0.00 0.00 0
24 Rajas 0.50 0.00 0.00 0 0.11 0.60 0.85 0.26
than
25 Sikkim 0.67 0.12 0.00 0.12 0.52 0.57 0.72 0.32
26 Tamil 44.56 31.65 20.25 4.28 1.70 0.33 0.40 1.29
Nadu
27 Telan- 0 0 0 0 0 0 0.56
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from the year 2013-14 IHDS and MEPS schemes merged with Comprehensive Handloom Development Scheme. ## from the year 2014-15 CHDS and RRR Package merged with National Handloom Development Programme.