

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
TEXTILES  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1737  
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Promotion of Tribal Textiles  
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**Will the Minister of TEXTILES be pleased to state:**

- (a) the details of schemes for the promotion of tribal textiles woven by the tribal weavers throughout the country;
- (b) the earnings from the sale of tribal textiles woven by the tribal weavers during each of the last three years and the current year; and
- (c) the total quantum of textiles woven by the textile weavers of Odisha and the total earnings from it for the years 2013-15?

**Answer**

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

(a): The Government of India is implementing following schemes for the development and promotion of tribal textiles / handlooms and welfare of all weavers including tribal weavers throughout the country including State of Odisha:-

- I) National Handloom Development Programme.
- II) Handloom Weavers' Comprehensive Welfare Scheme.
- III) Yarn Supply Scheme.
- IV) Comprehensive Handlooms Cluster Development Scheme.

(b): The data of the earning from the sale of tribal textiles woven by the tribal weavers is not available due to un-organised nature of the sector.

(c): The quantum of textiles woven by the textile weavers of Odisha and the total earning from it is not maintained centrally.

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