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Setting up of Apparel and Garment Making Centres

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Will the Minister of TEXTILES be pleased to state:

- (a) whether there is any proposal to set up apparel and garment making centres in various parts of the country;
- (b) if so, the details along with the aims and objectives for setting up of such centres;
- (c) the criteria fixed for setting up of such centres in the country;
- (d) the details of such centres set up and functioning in the country, State-wise;
- (e) the details of expenditure likely to be incurred on setting up of such centres along with the details of funds allocated and so far released, State-wise; and
- (f) the employment likely to be generated by such centres in the country?

Answer

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

(a) to (d):Yes, Madam. Ministry of Textiles is setting up modern apparel and garment making centres, in Plug and Play Mode in all eight North East States. In addition to the above project, with a view to create an integrated workspace and linkages based entrepreneurial ecosystem for the start-ups, Government has introduced the Scheme for Incubation in Apparel Manufacturing (SIAM) during the 12th Five Year Plan. Two projects have been sanctioned in the State of Haryana and Odisha under this scheme. These centres are to promote apparel manufacturing which is one of the most employment intensive segments of the Textile Industry. Under the scheme the State Government agencies are required to provide 1.5 acres of land free of cost and nominate project Implementing Agency (PIA) to implement the project. All the 10 Centers are at different stages of implementation.

(e): Under NERTPS, each North East State has been sanctioned a project cost of Rs. 18.18 cr in which Rs. 4.75 cr has already been released as first instalment. Under SIAM, cost per centre has been approved @ Rs. 12.93cr per centre of which Rs. 4cr have been released each to the Haryana State Industrial Infrastructure Development Corporation (HSIIDC) and SPINFD Orissa.

(f): Each centre is expected to generate an employment for 1200 persons when fully operational.
