Title: The Minister of Textiles laid a statement regarding status of implementation of the recommendations contained in the 14<sup>th</sup> Report of the Standing Committee on Labour on Demands for Grants (2006-07) pertaining to the Ministry of Textiles.

MR. SPEAKER: Shri Shankarsinh Vaghela. You may just lay the Statement on the Table.

THE MINISTER OF TEXTILES (SHRI SHANKARSINH VAGHELA): Sir, I beg to lay the Statement on the status of implementation of recommendations contained in the Fourteenth Report of Standing Committee on Labour on Demands for Grants (2006-07) of the Ministry of Textiles.

The Standing Committee on Labour examined the Demands for Grants of the Ministry of Textiles for the year 2006-07 and presented their Fourteenth Report in this regard to Lok Sabha on 17<sup>th</sup> May, 2006. The Report contains 15 recommendations. The recommendations of the Committee focus mainly on the need to increase the allocations of funds and utilization thereof. This was with a view to improve the implementation of the developmental and welfare schemes of

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this Ministry, and raise productivity and quality in various segments under the Ministry of Textiles. The recommendations contained in the Report have been examined in the Ministry of Textiles, and a statement on the action taken/proposed to be taken on these recommendations was submitted to the Standing Committee on Labour in September, 2006. The Ministry of Textiles is making all efforts to implement the recommendations of the Committee in their true spirit.

I also lay herewith the status of implementation of these recommendations on the Table of the House.

MR. SPEAKER: Ordinarily, Calling Attention is taken up after laying of the Papers on the Table. Today, I have committed to Shri Sukhdev Singh Dhindsa. But I will take up the Calling Attention, after he raises the matter. [r9]