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West Zone				
19.	Goa	72	86.59	719
20.	Gujarat	2885	3460.98	28845
21.	Dadra and Nagar Haveli	11	13.32	114
22.	Daman and Diu	11	13.32	114
23.	Maharashtra	5526	6628.91	55242
TOTAL :		8505	10203.12	85034
Central Zone				
24.	Chhattisgarh	1447	1736.78	14473
25.	Madhya Pradesh	3850	4619.82	38501
26.	Uttaranchal	534	641.59	5343
27.	Uttar Pradesh	9807	11768.96	98072
TOTAL :		15638	18767.15	156389
North East Zone				
28.	Arunachal Pradesh	86	102.86	861
29.	Assam	1709	2050.54	17083
30.	Manipur	195	235.32	1958
31.	Meghalaya	202	241.98	2021
32.	Mizoram	100	119.14	993
33.	Nagaland	179	215.34	1792
34.	Tripura	197	236.06	1965
35.	Sikkim	53	62.90	528
TOTAL :		2721	3264.14	27201
GRAND TOTAL :		61697	74033.32	616937

Promotion of SSIs

3140. SHRIMATI SHOBHANA BHARTIA:
SHRI MAHENDRA MOHAN:

Will the Minister of MICRO, SMALL AND MEDIUM ENTERPRISES be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government has launched any special programme to promote small scale industries (SSI) in the country particularly in the rural areas;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) the details of funds released to various States for the promotion of small scale industries during the last two years; and

(d) the extent to which the target of growth of small scale industries in the country has been achieved?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF MICRO, SMALL AND MEDIUM ENTERPRISES (SHRI DINSHA J. PATEL): (a) and (b) The Ministry of Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises (MSME) is implementing various schemes/programmes relating to credit, infrastructure development, quality improvement, technology upgradation, marketing, entrepreneurial development, etc. These schemes are implemented across the country including rural areas.

(c) Allocation of budgetary funds is made scheme-wise (not state-wise) and utilised for various projects and other activities under the schemes. The Ministry of MSME utilised an amount of Rs. 1420.19 crore during the financial year 2007-08 and Rs. 1661.63 crore (Provisional) during the financial year 2008-09 for various schemes/programmes.

(d) Based on the Third All India Census of SSIs with reference year 2001-02 percentage growth rate achieved in SSI sector for the years 2004-05, 2005-06 and 2006-07 (latest available) is 10.88, 12.32 and 12.60 respectively.

Development of agro-based rural industries

3141. SHRI RAMDAS AGARWAL: Will the Minister of MICRO, SMALL AND MEDIUM ENTERPRISES be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government proposes to launch new schemes for the development of agro-based rural industries in the country;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether Government has received proposals from the States including Rajasthan for development of agro-based industries there; and

(d) if so, the details thereof, State-wise?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF MICRO, SMALL AND MEDIUM ENTERPRISES (SHRI DINSHA J. PATEL): (a) No, Sir. The Government (in the Ministry of Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises) has approved a new Central sector credit-linked subsidy scheme, called the Prime Minister's Employment Generation Programme (PMEGP) during 2008-09 (August, 2008) for promotion and development of micro enterprises including Village Industries. PMEGP is implemented through the Khadi and Village Industries Commission (KVIC)