- To develop clusters of traditional industries, assistance is provided for setting up of Common Facilities Centres, market promotion activities, development of new products/designs, etc., under the scheme.
- The year-wise funds released under the scheme during the last five years is as under (State/UT-wise breakup is not available):

Sl.No.	Year	Funds released (Rs. Crores)
1.	2007-2008	15.31
2	2008-2009	16.95
3.	2009-2010	12.00
4.	2010-2011	10.80
5.	2011-2012	Nil

Funds for Assam under CSS

2087. SHRIMATI NAZNIN FARUQUE: Will the Minister of MICRO, SMALL AND MEDIUM ENTERPRISES be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of amount/ funds allocated and released by the Central Government under the Centrally Sponsored Schemes (CSS) to Assam during the last three years, scheme-wise; and
- (b) the details of amount spent by the State Government against above allocation?

THE MINISTER OF MICRO, SMALL AND MEDIUM ENTERPRISES (SHRI VAYALAR RAVI): (a) This Ministry is not implementing any Centrally Sponsored Schemes.

(b) Does not arise.

Participation in promotional meets

2088. SHRI ANIL MADHAV DAVE: Will the Minister of MICRO, SMALL AND MEDIUM ENTERPRISES be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Ministry or any other organisation/agency under the Ministry participated in International Exhibitions/Trade Fairs/ Buyer-Seller Meets in past two years; and