

1	2	3	4	5
Research and Development Scheme	02 proposals sanctioned 04 proposals sanctioned	Research Study Workshop/Seminar	2015-16	₹50.87 lakhs
Marketing Support and Service Scheme	53 proposals received out of which 04 are not sanctioned	Marketing events like Gandhi Shilp Bazaar, Craft Bazaar, Exhibitions	2014-15 to 2016-17	
Infrastructure and Technology Support scheme	18 proposals have been received, out of which 5 proposals have been sanctioned, 11 projects have been given principal approval and 2 proposals are not considered by the Project Approval Monitoring Committee (PAMC)		2015-16 to 2016-17	₹2201.52 lakhs
Mega Cluster Scheme	01 proposal received	Integrated Development and promotion of Handicrafts	2016-17	₹2308.74 lakhs

Pan India census of handicraft artisans

3513. SHRI DILIP KUMAR TIRKEY: Will the Minister of TEXTILES be pleased to state whether any Pan India census of handicraft artisans is conducted by the Ministry, if so, the latest details thereof, State-wise and if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF TEXTILES (SHRI AJAY TAMTA): A special Nation-wide Artisans Identity Card campaign namely 'Pehchan' has been launched on 7th October, 2016 to register handicrafts artisans from all over the country. The details of State-wise artisans registered so far are given in Statement.

Statement*Status report as per Regional Director Record*

States	Total Application Forms collected as on till date (17.03.2017)
1	2
Andaman and Nicobar Islands	875
Andhra Pradesh	46486
Arunachal Pradesh	1662
Assam	29198
Bihar	37674
Chhattisgarh	5479
Delhi	7473
Goa	3357
Gujarat	49264
Haryana	6188
Himachal Pradesh	5172
Jammu and Kashmir	29122
Jharkhand	15952
Karnataka	15939
Kerala	22681
Madhya Pradesh	60553
Maharashtra	29159
Manipur	18475
Meghalaya	1913
Mizoram	1292
Nagaland	1912
Odisha	19172
Puducherry	6258
Punjab	9100
Rajasthan	26517

1	2
Sikkim	1932
Tamil Nadu	20454
Telangana	16744
Tripura	8302
Uttar Pradesh	602507
Uttarakhand	17579
West Bengal	38369
TOTAL	1156760

Revival of closed spinning mills

†3514. SHRI SANJAY SETH: Will the Minister of TEXTILES be pleased to state:

(a) the number of spinning mills closed down every year during the last three years and this year till now, State-wise and Union Territory-wise;

(b) the details of plans envisaged by Government for the revival of spinning mills lying closed in the country since long;

(c) whether Government is aware of the miserable condition of workers due to closure of these mills;

(d) if so, the steps taken by Government in this regard; and

(e) whether Government proposes to provide subsidy to resuscitate these mills?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF TEXTILES (SHRI AJAY TAMTA): (a) The details of State wise cotton/man-made fibre textile mills (Non-SSI) closed during /last three years and current year are given in the Statement (*See* below). No textile mill of National Textile Corporation has been closed during the last three years and during the current year.

(b) The Government has no scheme/programme to revive these mills at present.

(c) and (d) In order to give relief to the workers rendered jobless due to permanent closure of Non-SSI Textile Mills in private sector, Textile Worker's Rehabilitation Fund

†Original notice of the question was received in Hindi.