

Description	Total projects	Original Cost (₹ in crore)	Anticipated Cost (₹ in crore)	Cost overrun (₹ in crore)	Expenditure during current financial year (₹ in crore)	Cumulative Expenditure till Sep, 19 (₹ in crore)
Cost overrun	377	5,72,073.56	9,86,598.03	4,14,524.47	52,242.04	5,13,218.97
Both time and cost overrun	187	3,52,996.53	6,01,488.44	2,48,491.91	37,759.66	3,55,667.77

Data on consumer spending

2046. SHRI RAVI PRAKASH VERMA: Will the Minister of STATISTICS AND PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION be pleased to state:

- whether as per the annual report of the Ministry, data regarding the consumer spending in rural and urban areas was supposed to be released in June, 2019;
- if so, the details thereof;
- the reasons for blocking the data and not releasing it;
- whether Government is trying to conceal the historical decline in consumer spending; and
- if so, the reasons thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF STATISTICS AND PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION (SHRI RAO INDERJIT SINGH): (a) and (b) As per Annual Report 2018-19 of the Ministry of Statistics and Programme Implementation, the key indicator report and data of NSS 75th round (July, 2017-June, 2018) including that of the Consumer Expenditure Survey was expected to be released in June, 2019.

(c) to (e) The Ministry carried out an all-India survey on Household Consumption Expenditure during NSS 75th round (July 2017 - June 2018). The survey generates estimates of household Monthly Per Capita Consumer Expenditure (MPCE) and the distribution of households and persons over the MPCE classes. It is designed to collect information regarding expenditure on consumption of goods and services (food and non-food) consumed by the households. The survey results are also used for rebasing of the Gross Domestic Product (GDP) series and other macro-economic indicators.

The Ministry follows a rigorous procedure for vetting of data and reports which are produced through surveys. The results of this survey were examined and it was observed that there was a significant variation in the levels in the consumption pattern as well as in the direction of the change while comparing with other administrative data sources.

The matter was also referred to a Committee of Experts which has recommended refining the survey methodology and improving the data quality aspects on a concurrent basis. As per the Press Release dated 15.11.2019, the Ministry has decided not to release the Consumer Expenditure Survey results of 2017-18.

Monitoring of textile industry in States

2047. SHRINARAYAN LAL PANCHARIYA: Will the Minister of TEXTILES be pleased to state:

- (a) whether Government is monitoring the state of textile industry in various States;
- (b) if so, details in respect of state of textile industry in Rajasthan, if not, the reasons therefor;
- (c) whether the contribution of Rajasthan in country's textiles exports has declined in last two years;
- (d) if so, the details thereof;
- (e) whether Government has taken any steps to promote textile industry in Rajasthan, especially in Bhilwada; and
- (f) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF TEXTILES (SHRIMATI SMRITI ZUBIN IRANI): (a) to (f) The Government is responsible for policy formulation, planning and development of the textile industry by providing a conducive policy environment and creating enabling conditions for promotion of the textile industry all over the country including State of Rajasthan.

In order to promote and develop various sectors/segments of the textiles industry, the Government has been implementing various policy initiatives and schemes which *inter alia* support/improve the lives and livelihoods of textile weavers through employment generation and promotes production and export competitiveness of the textile industry such as Schemes for the development of the Powerloom Sector (Power-Tex), Schemes for Technical Textiles, Scheme for Integrated Textile Parks (SITP), Scheme for Additional Grant