

Scheme for skill development in textile sector

*114. SHRI KAMAKHYA PRASAD TASA: Will the Minister of TEXTILES be pleased to state:

- (a) whether it is a fact that Government is implementing schemes for skill development;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) the details of programmes currently being implemented by Government for skill development in various sectors of the textile industry; and
- (d) the details of funds allocated to various educational institutions. Non-Governmental Organizations (NGOs), etc. for the skill development programmes in Assam and other North-Eastern States during the last two years?

THE MINISTER OF TEXTILES (SHRIMATI SMRITI ZUBIN IRANI): (a) to (d) A Statement is laid on the Table of the House.

Statement

(a) to (c) With a view to create robust human resources for the textiles sector, particularly the need for trained and skilled workforce in all segment of the textile sector, Ministry of Textiles has been implementing various skill development schemes and programmes since the financial year 2010-11.

Under the Comprehensive Integrated Skill Development Scheme (ISDS), a Total of 11.14 lakh persons have been trained during FY 2010-11 to 2017-18, in various diverse segments of textile sector covering textiles and apparel, jute, spinning, weaving, technical textiles, sericulture, handloom and handicrafts. The training in ISDS also covered 33 States and Union Territories of the country, widely covering all sections of the society such as women(71.27%), Scheduled Caste(20.82%), Schedule Tribes (6.9%) and Divyang Jan(0.28%). Out of the 11.14 lakh persons trained, 8.43 lakh persons have been employed.

In further continuation, Ministry of Textiles has expanded the skill development programme, called Samarth- Scheme for Capacity Building in Textile Sector, for the entire value chain of the textiles sector (except spinning and weaving in organized sector which are being trained under Pradhan Mantri Kaushal Vikas Yojana) with a target of 10 lakh persons at a Total outlay of ₹1300 crore. The training programme and course curriculum

have been rationalized keeping in view the technological and market demand status of the domestic and international economies. Ministry of Textiles has already partnered with 21 Government Agencies from 18 States and Sectoral Organizations covering nearly 4 lakh persons, for entry level training and job creation in both traditional and organized segments of textile value chain.

Further, the textile industry and Association are being partnered with. Special emphasis is also being laid on upskilling in apparel and garmenting segment for increasing the competitiveness of the industry in global market.

Handloom Sector:- Training programme for skill up-gradation of Handloom weavers are conducted in National Handloom Development Programme (NHDP)/Comprehensive Handloom Cluster Development Scheme (CHCDS) by office of Development Commissioner for Handlooms across the country including State North East Region through Weavers Service Centres (WSCs).

Handicrafts Sector:- For Skill Development in Handicrafts Sector, Office of Development Commissioner (Handicrafts) is implementing Human Resource Development Scheme to provide qualified and trained workforce to the handicraft sector and also to create human capital for the sector in terms of trained cadre of designers.

Sericulture Sector:- In silk sector, Central Silk Board under Capacity Building and Training activities of Central Sector Scheme “Silk Samagra”-an Integrated Scheme for Development of Silk Industry organizes various training programmes for the stakeholders across the country. These programmes focus on skill seeding and skill up-gradation in silk sector so as to create employment opportunities (mostly self-employment) for the new entrants and also to increase in income level of the existing entrepreneurs by adopting improved package.

Jute Sector: For Skill Development in jute sector and proliferation of jute diversification activities throughout the country, National Jute Board (NJB) has been implementing Jute Integrated Development (JID) Scheme to increase the number of skilled workforce for production of jute diversified products in the decentralized sector.

(d) Under Integrated Skill Development Scheme, funds are not released State-wise. However, the details of fund released to various implementing agencies under ISDS during last two years is at Annexure-I (*See below*). Under NHDP/CHCDS of Handloom Sector, the details of State-wise funds released to WSCs for skill upgradation programmes in Assam

and other North-Eastern states during last two years are at Annexure-II (*See* below). Under HRD scheme of Handicraft sector, the details of funds allocated for the skill development programmes in Assam and other North-Eastern states during the last two years are at Annexure-III. Central Silk Board is not releasing any funds to educational institutes/NGOs for the above programme. During last two years, NJB has not allocated fund in any North-Eastern States.

Annexure-I

*Funds released to Implementing Agencies of ISPS during
FY 2017-18 & 2018-19*

(₹ in Lakh)

Sl. No.	Name of Organisations	Funds Released in 2017-18	Funds Released in 2018-19	Total released
1	2	3	4	5
1.	Aditya Birla Fashion and Retail Limited	60.61	0	60.61
2.	Ambica Shiksha Samaj Kalyan Samiti	124.50	20.75	145.25
3.	Andhra Pradesh Director of Handlooms and Textiles and Apparel Export Parks	122.92	0	122.92
4.	Apparel Retail Training & Job Solutions (ARTJS)	438.48	0	438.48
5.	Apparel Training and Design Centre (ATDC)	799.00	0	799.00
6.	Arvind Limited	69.75	0	69.75
7.	Association of Lady Entrepreneurs of India (ALEAP)	256.34	0	256.34
8.	Bee Kay Precision (India) Pvt. Ltd.	68.58	0	68.58
9.	Best Corporation Private Limited	20.93	0	20.93
10.	Bharat Mata Welfare Foundation	47.92	0	47.92
11.	Bhartiya Mahila Gramodyog Sansthan	56.00	4.34	60.34
12.	Bhaskar Foundation	54.00	38.95	92.95
13.	Birla Cotsyn (India) Limited	489.91	100.46	590.37
14.	BVG Educational Trust	76.87	18.25	95.12

1	2	3	4	5
15.	Centre for Entrepreneurship Development (CED), Industries Commissionerate, Govt. of Gujarat	625.1	0	625.10
16.	Centum Learning Limited	111.00	14.27	125.27
17.	Cibi International Private Limited	98.02	0	98.02
18.	CTA Apparels Pvt Ltd	55.86	0	55.86
19.	Daksh Foundation	65.32	6.96	72.28
20.	DVR Exports Pvt Ltd	90.56	15.14	105.70
21.	Department of Industries & Commerce, Govt. of Tripura	0	6.82	6.82
22.	Fair Trade Forum - India (FTF-I)	47.27	0	47.27
23.	Fuzone E Systems Pvt Ltd	180.42	23.62	204.04
24.	Gyanodaya Information and Education Society	52.55	0	52.55
25.	Indus Intex Pvt Ltd	57.42	0	57.42
26.	IL&FS Cluster Development Initiative Ltd.	1333.38	0	1333.38
27.	Ibrahim International Ltd	191.85	0	191.85
28.	Jahanvi JITM Skills	160.38	27.99	188.37
29.	Karnataka State Textile Infrastructure Development Corporation Ltd. (KSTIDCL)	217.84	0	217.84
30.	Khator Fibre & Fabrics Ltd.	16.06	153.98	170.04
31.	Madhya Pradesh Laghu Udyog (MPLUN)	41.81	0	41.81
32.	Maharashtra Academy of Engineering and Educational Research (MAEER)	0	129.53	129.53
33.	Matrix Clothing Pvt. Ltd.	557.92	0	557.92
34.	Modelama Exports Limited	29.27	97.95	127.22
35.	Modern Education Society	59.91	16.17	76.08

1	2	3	4	5
36.	Monash International Limited	171.60	4.60	176.20
37.	Nalanda Institute for Computer & Vocational Training Pvt. Ltd.	37.50	0	37.50
38.	NIFT - TEA Knitwear Fashion Institute	423.03	17.10	440.13
39.	Office of Commissioned Industries, Govt. of Rajasthan	146.90	0	146.90
40.	PMG Commerce Edge Foundation	52.26	0	52.26
41.	Powerloom Development & Export Promotion Council (PDEXCIL)	22.44	1.15	23.59
42.	Quess Corp Ltd.	0	24.10	24.10
43.	Samvit Education Trust	148.81	33.62	182.43
44.	Shahi Exports Pvt Ltd	41.81	0	41.81
45.	Shiksha Prasarini Samiti	67.00	0	67.00
46.	Shri Amareshwar Graminabhiprudhi Shiksan and Kalyan Samsthe	85.82	0	85.82
47.	Shri Technologies	38.69	23.31	62.00
48.	Sri Lakshmi Cotsyn Ltd	8.73	0	8.73
49.	Tamil Nadu Spinning Mills Association (TASMA)	85.47	0	85.47
50.	Technopak Advisors Private Limited	170.99	0	170.99
51.	The Clothing Manufacturers Association of India (CMAI)	143.50	52.38	195.88
52.	Urbo Rural Integrated Development Association (URIDA)	61.17	23.94	85.11
53.	Uttar Pradesh Industrial Co-operative Association (UPICA)	120.22	44.39	164.61
54.	Wazir Advisors Private Limited	471.99	0	471.99
55.	Welspun India Ltd	277.71	0	277.71
56.	Women Entrepreneurs Karnataka Association (WEKAS)	241.41	78.74	320.15

Annexure-II

Details of State-wise funds released to WSCs for Skill upgradation programmes in Assam and other North-Eastern States during last two years under NHDP/CHCDS (Handloom Sector)

Sl. No.	Name of the States	2017-18		2018-19	
		No. of weavers covered	Fund released (₹ in lakh)	No. of weavers covered	Fund released (₹ in lakh)
1.	Arunachal Pradesh	440	50.48	0	0.00
2.	Assam	5940	716.73	0	0.00
3.	Manipur	0	0.00	0	0.00
4.	Meghalaya	0	0.00	0	0.00
5.	Mizoram	420	47.74	0	0.00
6.	Nagaland	0	0.00	0	0.00
7.	Sikkim	0	0.00	0	0.00
8.	Tripura	0	0.00	0	0.00
TOTAL		6800	814.95	0	0.00

Annexure-III

List of training programme conducted and amount sanctioned during 2017-18 to 2018-19 under HRD Scheme (Handicraft Sector)

Sl. No.	Name of the States	2017-18		2018-19	
		No. of skill training conducted	Amount released (in lakhs)	No. of skill training conducted	Amount released (in lakhs)
1	2	3	4	5	6
1.	Arunachal Pradesh	300	6.51	100	49.90
2.	Assam	980	117.08	60	29.94
3.	Meghalaya	280	17.16	40	9.98

1	2	3	4	5	6
4.	Manipur	580	92.00	300	79.88
5.	Mizoram	0	0	0	0
6.	Nagaland	0	0	0	0
7.	Sikkim	160	40.46	0	0
8.	Tripura	500	14.69	0	0
TOTAL		2800	287.91	500	169.70

श्री कामाख्या प्रसाद तासा: सभापति महोदय, मैं “समर्थ” प्रोग्राम को introduce करने के लिए माननीय मंत्री जी को धन्यवाद देना चाहता हूँ और प्राइम मिनिस्टर साहब को भी धन्यवाद देना चाहता हूँ। मैं आपके माध्यम से माननीय मंत्री जी से जानना चाहता हूँ कि ट्रेनिंग के बाद ये जो trained people हैं, इनको accomodate करने की क्या व्यवस्था है?

SHRIMATI SMRITI ZUBIN IRANI: Till now, if you look at the ratio of number of trainees who have received direct employment, our success rate is ranging between 75-80 per cent. Currently, even the State which the hon. Member represents, in collaboration with the State Government, a Total of 67,000 citizens will be trained, and the Government, the State is also cognizant of our efforts to ensure that they get direct employment. This readily skilled labour is also finding placement in industry.

श्री कामाख्या प्रसाद तासा: सर, मैं आपके माध्यम से माननीय मंत्री महोदय से जानना चाहता हूँ कि क्या इस ट्रेनिंग प्रोग्राम में दिव्यांग के लिए कुछ व्यवस्था है, क्योंकि जो बुनकर हैं, वे हैंडलूम का काम कर सकते हैं? क्या इसमें दिव्यांग के लिए कुछ स्पेशल व्यवस्था है?

SHRIMATI SMRITI ZUBIN IRANI: Sir, we have taken into account the challenges which our *Divyang* citizens face and we have in our conversation with the State and our own Commissioner's office ensured that we pay a particular heed to the needs of our *Divyang* citizen. In fact, Sir, through you, I would like to share with the House that the Ministry provides free of cost tool kits especially to our *Divyang* citizens in the handcraft sector.

SHRI BIRENDRAPRASAD BAISHYA: Sir, in her reply, the hon. Minister very rightly said that under the Comprehensive Integrated Skill Development Scheme, a Total number of 11.14 lakh persons have been trained during the year 2010-11 to 2017-18. North-Eastern Region...

MR. CHAIRMAN: What is your question?

SHRI BIRENDRA PRASAD BAISHYA: I am coming to the question. North-Eastern Region has a high contribution in the textile and handloom industry. I would like to know from the hon. Minister, among these 11.14 lakh persons, how many persons are coming from the North-Eastern Region for training and whether the Government is taking further steps to develop textile industry in the North-Eastern Region.

MR. CHAIRMAN: One supplementary only.

SHRIMATI SMRITI ZUBIN IRANI: As my answer has articulated, we have taken into consideration the schemes that came into fruition from the year 2010-11. And when we studied this scheme, we saw that many of these efforts were taken in conjunction with NGOs and we know that the capacity for NGOs to employ skilled labour is limited as compared to industry. Hence we modified our intervention with State Governments to ensure that we look at State-specific intervention. That is why, since North-East is the focus of this question, I highlighted Assam has 67,000 such potential persons to be skilled currently in this programme, in this particular year. Manipur has 25,000. We have signed up with States like Meghalaya, Mizoram and Arunachal Pradesh as well and four lakh such workers will be trained under this current understanding with 18 States.

SHRI MANISH GUPTA: Sir, in the contest of technological adoption and digitisation, jobs and tasks, along with competence, required to execute them are changing. What adjustments in this regard are being made in the existing skill development programme in the textile sector?

SHRIMATI SMRITI ZUBIN IRANI: Skill Development Programme takes into consideration even the technological advances that are taking place in the sector. In fact, technical textile is a sunrise segment of the entire sector and we have ensured that we carve out 50,000 personnel to be trained in this special segment. When I talk about technical textile, that means carbon-based textile that is used by ISRO and agro covers which are used by our farmers.

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*115. SHRI NARAIN DASS GUPTA: Will the Minister of LAW AND JUSTICE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Ministry is aware that as per India Justice Report 2019, 67 per cent of all prison inmates are undertrials awaiting proper legal procedure;