(d) Union Cabinet, had on 30.11.2016, accorded 'in principle' approval for the transfer of Palakkad Unit of Instrumentation Limited to the Government of Kerala (GoK). A tripartite memorandum of understanding has been signed by Government of India, Government of Kerala and Instrumentation Limited defining the modalities of transfer of Palakkad Unit to the Govt. of Kerala.

Slow down in industry sector

†74. SHRI VISHAMBHAR PRASAD NISHAD: CH. SUKHRAM SINGH YADAV: SHRIMATI CHHAYA VERMA:

Will the Minister of HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES be pleased to state:

- (a) whether it is a fact that a decline on a large scale is being registered in various industries in the country;
 - (b) if so, the details thereof for the last three years;
- (c) whether it is also a fact that policy and administrative support is not being extended to the industries on realistic term due to which industries are not able to flourish and their production is going down;
 - (d) the reasons causing shortfalls in the production of the industries; and
 - (e) the details of steps taken to address this issue?

THE MINISTER OF HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES (SHRI PRAKASH JAVADEKAR): (a) and (b) Sir, no large scale decline has been registered in industries in country. Some sectors have registered positive growth while some have registered negative growth. The data in this respect is given in Statement (*See* below).

- (c) No Sir.
- (d) Some sectors have reported cyclical slowdown in global economies as the cause of slowdown.
- (e) Government has taken several steps, such as, reduction in Corporate Tax, funds released to PSU banks, linking of repo rate to interest charged for vehicle purchased etc.

[†]Original notice of the question was received in Hindi.

Statement

Details of Annual sectoral growth rates as per IIP (%) Base year 2011-12

NIC 200	8 Description	Weights	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19	Apr-Nov 2019-20
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
10.	Manufacture of food products	5.3025	-5.5	9.3	12.2	8.0
11.	Manufacture of beverages	1.0354	-3.1	-0.8	3.6	0.8
2.	Manufacture of tobacco products	0.7985	-15.0	-17.9	-0.9	4.1
3.	Manufacture of textiles	3.2913	-1.7	-0.3	1.4	-3.6
4.	Manufacture of wearing apparel	1.3225	15.8	-9.4	12.1	9.4
5.	Manufacture of leather and related products	0.5021	-1.1	1.3	0.9	-1.3
	Manufacture of wood and products of wood and cork, except furniture; manufacture of articles of straw and plaiting materials	0.1930	-4.5	-0.8	13.7	13.1
7.	Manufacture of paper and paper products	0.8724	-2.1	-4.5	-4.4	-12.7
8.	Printing and reproduction of recorded media	0.6798	2.1	-5.9	-2.1	-4.9
9.	Manufacture of coke and refined petroleum products	11.7749	4.7	3.7	2.6	-0.6
0.	Manufacture of chemicals and chemical products	7.8730	2.5	-0.3	2.5	5.4

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7
21.	Manufacture of pharmaceuticals, medicinal chemical and botanical products	4.9810	30.4	23.1	1.6	3.7
22.	Manufacture of rubber and plastics products	2.4222	1.9	-8.2	-2.4	-6.4
23.	Manufacture of other non-metallic mineral products	4.0853	-0.5	3.6	8.5	-1.7
24.	Manufacture of basic metals	12.8043	5.1	5.7	3.8	13.0
25.	Manufacture of fabricated metal products, except machinery and equipment	2.6549	2.0	2.3	-1.6	-13.6
26.	Manufacture of computer, electronic and optical products	1.5704	2.5	17.2	13.6	-6.2
27.	Manufacture of electrical equipment	2.9983	-4.5	-12.4	2.5	-1.7
28.	Manufacture of machinery and equipment n.e.c.	4.7653	7.7	5.6	2.4	-10.0
29.	Manufacture of motor vehicles, trailers and semi-trailers	4.8573	0.6	12.6	7.2	-16.5
30.	Manufacture of other transport equipment	1.7763	4.4	14.0	8.8	-6.4
31.	Manufacture of furniture	0.1311	7.5	11.6	8.1	-8.1
32.	Other manufacturing	0.9415	4.8	-15.4	-12.6	-10.5
	Mining	14.3725	5.3	2.3	2.9	-0.1
	Manufacturing	77.6332	4.4	4.6	3.9	0.9
	Electricity	7.9943	5.8	5.4	5.2	0.8
	General	100.00	4.6	4.4	3.8	0.6

Source: National Statistical Office.

Written Answers to

[RAJYA SABHA]