GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF TEXTILES RAJYA SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO-797

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BOOSTING PRODUCTION, PROMOTION AND SALE OF INDIGENOUS TEXTILES

797. SHRI SUJEET KUMAR:

Will the Minister of TEXTILES be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of the Indian textiles with a large international market and their growth rate in sales during the last three years and the current year;
- (b) the steps taken by Government to boost production of indigenous textiles in the country;
- (c) the steps taken by Government for the promotion and sale of indigenous textiles abroad;
- (d) whether Government has made efforts for increasing employment generation in textile sector; and
- (e) if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR TEXTILES (SMT. DARSHANA JARDOSH)

- (a): The exports of Textiles & Apparel were USD 33.38 billion in 2019-20 and same has increased to USD 42.35 billion in 2021-22. The Compound Annual Growth Rate (CAGR) in exports from 2019-20 to 2021-22 is approx.13%. The details of product-wise export of Textile & Apparel are at Annexure.
- **(b) to (e):** The Government has taken following major initiatives/ measures in textile sector to boost exports, production, sales, demand and increase employment generation in the sector on pan-India basis:
 - i) The Government has approved setting up of Seven Pradhan Mantri Mega Integrated Textile Region and Apparel (PM MITRA) Parks in Greenfield/Brownfield sites with an outlay of Rs. 4,445 crore for a period of seven years upto 2027-28. These parks will enable the textile industry to become globally competitive, attract large investment and boost employment generation.
 - ii) The Government has approved the Production Linked Incentive (PLI) Scheme for Textiles, with an approved outlay of Rs. 10,683 crore, to promote production of MMF Apparel, MMF Fabrics and Products of Technical Textiles in the country to enable Textile sector to achieve size and scale and to become competitive.

- iii) The scheme of Rebate of State and central Taxes and Levies (RoSCTL) effective from March 2019 has been continued till 31st March 2024 for Exports of Apparel / Garments and made-ups in order to make the textile sector competitive in international market.
- iv) Government has allocated an outlay of Rs.1,000 Crores for advance research and innovation in Technical Textiles at par with the best in the world. Research topics in 94 categories covering; specially fibres and composites, geotextiles, agro textiles, protective textiles, medical textiles, defence textiles, sports textiles, and environmentally friendly/biodegradable technical textiles have been identified and research proposals have been invited. Thirty One (31) research projects have been approved, so far, to various research institutes covering IITs, DRDO (Defence Research & Development Organization) CSIR (Council of Scientific and Industrial Research) and Textiles Research Associations, with total estimated cost of Rs.110 Crore.
- v) To boost exports in Man Made Fibre (MMF) sector, Government has removed anti-dumping duty on PTA (Purified Terephthalic Acid), Viscose Staple Fibre and Acrylic.

Further, Government is implementing various schemes viz the Amended Technology Upgradation Fund Scheme (A-TUFS), Schemes for the development of the Powerloom Sector (Power-Tex), Scheme for Integrated Textile Parks (SITP), SAMARTH- The Scheme for Capacity Building in Textile Sector, Jute (ICARE- Improved Cultivation and Advanced Retting Exercise), Integrated Processing Development Scheme (IPDS), Silk Samagra 2.0, National Handloom Development Programme, National Handicraft Development Programme, Integrated Wool Development Programme (IWDP) etc. catering exclusively for promotion and development of indigenous textile sector in the country.

Annexure

Details of Textiles & Apparel (T&A) Exports:

(Values in USD billion)

Major Commodity	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22 (Provisional)
Readymade Garment	15.49	12.27	16.02
Cotton Textiles	10.26	11.13	17.16
Man-made textiles	5.32	4.18	6.29
Wool & Woolen textiles	0.18	0.11	0.17
Silk Products	0.07	0.08	0.11
Handloom Products	0.32	0.22	0.27
Carpets	1.37	1.49	1.79
Jute Products	0.36	0.40	0.54
Total T&A	33.38	29.88	42.35

Source: Directorate General of Commercial Intelligence & Statistics (DGCI&S)