

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS
DEPARTMENT OF PHARMACEUTICALS**

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UNSTARRED QUESTION No. 1778
TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 2nd AUGUST, 2022

Proposal for construction of Bulk Drug Park in Tamil Nadu

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Will the Minister of **Chemicals and Fertilizers** be pleased to state:

- (a) whether Government has received any proposal for construction of Bulk Drug Park (Pharmaceutical Park) in Tamil Nadu;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) the funds released for construction of the said park; and
- (d) the time by which the construction of the said park is likely to be completed?

ANSWER

**MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CHEMICALS & FERTILIZERS
(SHRI BHAGWANTH KHUBA)**

(a) to (d): The Department of Pharmaceuticals implements the Scheme for Promotion of Bulk Drug Parks to facilitate setting up of Three (3) Bulk Drug Parks in the country with the objective to bring down the cost of manufacturing of bulk drugs by creation of world class common infrastructure facilities.

The financial assistance by the centre is subject to a maximum limit of Rs.1000 Crore per park or 70% of the project cost of CIF (90% in case of North Eastern States and Hilly States i.e. Himachal Pradesh, Uttarakhand, UT of Jammu & Kashmir and UT of Ladakh), whichever is less. The total financial outlay of the scheme is Rs. 3000 crore and the tenure of the Scheme is from 2020-21 to 2024-25.

Under the scheme, the Department has received proposals from 13 States including Tamil Nadu which are under evaluation.

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