### GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF MICRO, SMALL AND MEDIUM ENTERPRISES

# RAJYA SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION No. 1234 TO BE ANSWERED ON 13.02.2023

### **EXPORT OF MSME PRODUCTS**

### 1234. SHRI TIRUCHI SIVA:

Will the Minister of MICRO, SMALL AND MEDIUM ENTERPRISES be pleased to state:

(a) the details of the proportion of Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises (MSMEs) products exported out of the total exported products of the country during the last three years;

(b) whether Government plans to implement a scheme to encourage the producers/manufacturers of MSMEs products to increase exports of their products to other countries;

(c) if so, the details thereof and the steps taken/being taken by Government in this regard; and

(d) the details of the largest consumers of Indian MSMEs exported products?

#### ANSWER

# MINISTER OF STATE FOR MICRO, SMALL AND MEDIUM ENTERPRISES (SHRI BHANU PRATAP SINGH VERMA)

(a): The Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises sector contributes a significant contribution in country's total exports. The details of last three years exports are as under;

	2019-20		2020-21		2021-22	
	Million	INR	Million	INR	Million	INR
	USD	(in Crore)	USD	(in Crore)	USD	(in Crore)
Exports	154801.48	11044398.79	143993.81	1064694.86	190019.21	1416797.15
from						
MSMEs						
India's	311035.49	2219854.18	291808.48	2159043.22	422004.40	3147021.49
total						
exports						
% of	49.77	49.75	49.35	49.31	45.03	45.02
Exports						

(b) & (c): Ministry of Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises is implementing International Cooperation Scheme to encourage the producers/manufacturers of MSMEs products to increase exports of their products to other countries. Under the International Cooperation Scheme (IC) Scheme, the financial assistance is provided on reimbursement basis to the eligible Central/State Government organizations and Industry Associations to facilitate visit/participation of MSMEs in the international exhibitions/fairs/buyer-seller meets held abroad and for organizing international conference/seminar/workshops in India with the aim of technology upgradation, modernization, joint venture etc. Further, under the new component of IC Scheme namely Capacity Building of First Time Exporters (CBFTE) launched in June 2022, reimbursement is provided to new Micro & Small Enterprises (MSE) exporters for costs incurred on Registration cum-Membership Certification (RCMC) with EPCs, Export Insurance Premium and Testing & Quality Certification for exports. The Ministry has also developed a dedicated support system for export promotion from MSME Sector by establishing 52 Export Facilitation Cells (EFCs) in its field institutions namely MSME-Development and Facilitation Offices, MSME Technology Centres and MSME Testing Centres. MSME's Field Offices are organising export promotion programmes to motivate MSMEs to boost export and provide them the vital information for exports.

(d): The Ministry does not maintain separate information relating to the largest consumers of Indian MSMEs exported products. However, the major export partners of India are USA, China, United Arab Emirates, Saudi Arab, Singapore, Indonesia and Hongkong,

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