GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF TEXTILES **RAJYA SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO-2075**

ANSWERED ON- 17/03/2023

VISCOSE CONSUMPTION

2075. SHRI MOHAMMED NADIMUL HAQUE:

Will the Minister of TEXTILES be pleased to state:

- (a) the total viscose consumption in India, both Viscose Staple Fibre and Viscose Yarn, during the years 2021 and 2022;
- (b) the growth rate for viscose consumption in the last two years;
- (c) the expected demand of viscose by 2025; and
- (d) the details of plans of Government for promoting viscose value chain in the country?

ANSWER

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

(a) to (d): This Ministry does not maintain consumption data of viscose. In order to promote Man-Made Fibre (MMF) value chain in the country including viscose, Ministry has recently set up a "Textile Advisory Group on Man-made Fibre (MMF)" comprising stakeholders of the entire value chain to deliberate and make recommendations on the issues and concerns of the sector and help its growth. Government is constantly engaging with the industry (both manufacturers and users) and taking appropriate action on need basis.
