

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF TEXTILES  
**RAJYA SABHA**  
**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO-1440**  
ANSWERED ON- 02/08/2024

**PROMOTE TEXTILE SECTOR IN HIMACHAL PRADESH**

1440. DR. SIKANDER KUMAR:

Will the Minister of TEXTILES be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of garment manufacturing centres functional in Himachal Pradesh during the financial year 2023-2024;
- (b) the details of employment generated during the financial year 2023-2024; and
- (c) the steps taken to promote textile manufacturing and its export in Himachal Pradesh?

**ANSWER**

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR TEXTILES  
(SHRI PABITRA MARGHERITA)

**(a):** Major textiles centers for garmenting, handloom and others in Himachal Pradesh include Baddi, Kullu and Kala Amb etc.

**(b) & (c):** The Government of India is implementing various schemes/initiatives on a pan India basis including Himachal Pradesh, aimed at promoting textile manufacturing, exports as well as creating employment opportunities. The major schemes/initiatives include PM Mega Integrated Textile Regions and Apparel (PM MITRA) Parks Scheme; Production Linked Incentive (PLI) Scheme focusing on MMF Fabric, MMF Apparel and Technical Textiles; National Technical Textiles Mission (NTTM) focusing on Research Innovation & Development, Promotion and Market Development; SAMARTH – Scheme for Capacity Building in Textile Sector with the objective providing demand driven, placement oriented, skilling program; Silk Samagra-2 for comprehensive development of sericulture value chain; National Handloom Development Program and National Handicraft Development Program for end to end support for handloom and handicraft sectors, Integrated Wool Development Programme etc.

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