GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF MICRO, SMALL AND MEDIUM ENTERPRISES

RAJYA SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 122 TO BE ANSWERED ON 21.07.2025

CURRENT STATUS OF SFURTI IN THE STATE TAMIL NADU

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

- (a) the current status of the Scheme of Fund for Regeneration of Traditional Industries (SFURTI);
- (b) the number of the khadi, coir and village industries clusters sanctioned and currently functional under SFURTI in the State of Tamil Nadu, district-wise; and
- (c) the amount of funds allocated and disbursed under SFURTI and the list of beneficiaries for the State of Tamil Nadu, district-wise?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE FOR MICRO, SMALL AND MEDIUM ENTERPRISES (SUSHRI SHOBHA KARANDLAJE)

- (a): Scheme of Fund for Regeneration of Traditional Industries (SFURTI) was in continuation till 30.09.2022. Under the SFURTI, as on date, 513 clusters have been approved with a total committed Government of India assistance of Rs. 1,334 crores benefitting around 3.00 lakh artisans. Out of these clusters, 376 have become functional.
- (b) & (c): 28 clusters have been sanctioned under SFURTI in the State of Tamil Nadu under khadi, coir and village industries, out of which 19 clusters have become functional. District-wise details of these functional clusters, funds allocated, funds disbursed and number of beneficiaries is provided at **Annexure-I.**

Annexure-I referred to in part (b) & (c) of reply to Rajya Sabha Unstarred Question No. 122 due for answer on 21.07.2025.

District-wise detail of clusters, committed GoI Assistance, funds disbursed and number of artisans in Tamil Nadu:

S No	District	Cluster Name	Status	Artisans approved under the cluster	Committed GoI Assistance (INR in Lakhs)	Funds Disbursed (INR in Lakhs)
1.	Coimbatore	Pollachi Coir Cluster	Functional	5587	662.24	662.24
2.	Dharmapuri	Dharmapuri Coir Cluster	Functional	750	148.25	148.25
3.	Erode	Kongu Coir Cluster	Approved	918	473.65	473.65
4.	Kanyakumari	Ethamozy Coir Cluster	Functional	1650	149.06	149.06
5.	Krishnagiri	Krishnagiri Coir Cluster	Functional	695	286.96	286.96
6.	Krishnagiri	The Palmgur Cluster	Functional	270	149.84	149.84
7.	Madurai	Madurai Coir Cluster	Functional	2450	299.72	296.61
8.	Ranipet	Turmeric Cluster	Functional	310	223.46	165.487
9.	Ranipet	VelampudurJaggery and Value added Products Cluster	Approved	311	180.47	123.471
10.	Salem	Mecheri Handloom Cluster	Functional	493	249.4	249.4
11.	Salem	Omalur Coir Cluster	Approved	960	494.35	477.85
12.	Salem	Salem Coir Cluster	Functional	1430	298.91	295.81
13.	Salem	Salem Steel and Brass Cluster	Functional	537	142.85	142.85
14.	Thanjavur	Kumbkonam Steel & Wooden Furniture cluster	Functional	270	220.08	220.08
15.	Thanjavur	Thanjavur Dolls and Multi products Cluster, Thanjavur District, Tamil Nadu	Approved	218	139.2	0.00
16.	Tiruchirappalli	Trichy Garments Cluster	Approved	327	197.2	148.6
17.	Tirunelveli	Tirunelveli Coir Cluster	Functional	1330	273.71	270.89
18.	Tirupur	Dindigul Coir Cluster	Functional	1520	291.62	291.62
19.	Tirupur	Kangayam Coir Cluster	Functional	650	130.5	130.5
20.	Tirupur	KangayamKhadi Cluster	Functional	514	289.19	286.19

S No	District	Cluster Name	Status	Artisans approved under the cluster	Committed GoI Assistance (INR in Lakhs)	Funds Disbursed (INR in Lakhs)
21.	Tirupur	Palladam Coir Cluster	Functional	895	289.9	286.89
22.	Tiruvannamalai	Mukkurumbai Rice and Millets Value Added Products Cluster	Functional	370	222.09	201.050
23.	Tiruvarur	Mannargudi Coir Cluster	Functional	810	493	488.50
24.	Tuticorin	Mudalur Beekeeping Cluster	Approved	400	216.26	20.00
25.	Vellore	Pakkam Coir Cluster	Functional	866	491.48	486.98
26.	Vellore	Palm Leaves Toys and Leather Products Cluster	Approved	460	232	187.647
27.	Villupuram	CuddaloreSarvodaya Sangh Pottery Cluster	Approved	145	118.32	118.32
28.	Villupuram	Villupuram Natural Indigo Cluster	Approved	395	191.4	215.70
		Total	25531	7555.11	6974.445	