

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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DEPARTMENT OF CHEMICALS AND PETROCHEMICALS
RAJYA SABHA
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ANSWERED ON- 29/07/2025

GANJIMUTT PLASTIC PARK

979: DR. DHARMSTHALA VEERENDRA HEGGADE

Will the Minister of CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether Government is aware of the present status of establishment and operation of Plastic Park in Ganjimutt, Mangalore, Karnataka;
- (b) the number of direct and indirect employment opportunities generated through this Plastic Park;
- (c) whether Government has assessed the social and economic impacts of the project especially in terms of the benefits to small enterprises and local artisans;
- (d) whether Government has adopted any special policy to make this Plastic Park compatible with public interest and environmental sustainability; and
- (e) whether Government proposes to develop similar Plastic Parks in other States as well, if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS

(SMT. ANUPRIYA PATEL)

- (a) The Plastic Park in Ganjimutt, Karnataka, was approved in January 2022, and the overall progress of physical infrastructure is 60%.
- (b) On completion, the project is anticipated to generate direct employment opportunities for about 4,000 persons and indirect employment for about 12,000 persons.
- (c) The proposed plastic park is expected to benefit the project area through promotion of entrepreneurship, and growth in plastics and related industries. Employment opportunities will also be created for the local people.

(d) The development activities are being carried out in accordance to the permissions from State Pollution Control Board. The provision of facilities such as drainage system, water supply, sewage treatment plant would ensure environmental sustainability.

(e) The Department has accorded approval for the establishment of 10 Plastic Parks, which are at various stages of implementation. The details of these Plastic Parks are as follows:

S. No.	Location	Total project cost (in ₹ crore)	Total Gol Grant approved (in ₹ crore)	Completion in terms of development of physical infrastructure (in %)
1	Tamot, Madhya Pradesh	108.00	40	100
2	Paradeep, Odisha	106.78	40	98
3	Tinsukia, Assam	93.65	40	95
4	Thiruvallur, Tamil Nadu	216.91	40	84 (Progress is on hold since Jan, 2022 due to stay by Hon'ble NGT)
5	Deoghar, Jharkhand	67.33	33.67	90
6	Bilaua, Madhya Pradesh	68.72	34.36	97
7	Sitarganj, Uttarakhand	115.81	33.90	65
8	Sarora, Raipur, Chhattisgarh	42.09	21.04	60
9	Ganjimutt, Karnataka	62.77	31.38	61
10	Gorakhpur, Uttar Pradesh	69.58	34.79	60
