

LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.1212
TO BE ANSWERED ON 09.02.2017

DEVELOPMENT OF HANDICRAFTS

1212. SHRI PR. SENTHIL NATHAN:

Will the Minister of TEXTILES वस्त्र मंत्री
be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has introduced or proposes to introduce special innovative technologies for development of handicrafts in the country particularly in Tamil Nadu;
- (b) if so, the details thereof and the details of projects underway and to be undertaken in the next two years;
- (c) the details of the funds earmarked and allocated for such projects during each of the last three years, State-wise;
- (d) whether the Government has provided funds for the development of handicrafts and its Export Processing Zones in Tamil Nadu; and
- (e) if so, the details thereof?

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ANSWER

वस्त्र मंत्री (श्रीमती स्मृति जूबिन इरानी)
MINISTER OF TEXTILES
(SMT. SMRITI ZUBIN IRANI)

(a): Government has provided assistance for setting up of Common Facility Centres under Infrastructure Technology support for development of handicrafts.

(b) to (e) : Government of India has sanctioned a special project under “Integrated Development and Promotion of Handicrafts” for an amount of Rs. 20.38 crores in the state of Tamil Nadu benefitting 19450 artisans. List of components sanctioned under this project is at **Annexure-I**. Rs.10.19 crores has been released in the year 2015-16.

Annexure I**Statement referred to in reply to Part (b) of Lok Sabha Unstarred Question No.1212 for answer on 09.02.2017.**

List of components sanctioned under Integrated Development and Promotion of Handicrafts in the State of Tamil Nadu.

(Rupees in Lakhs)		
Components	Activities	Amount
(1). Common Facility Centre for Artisans Entrepreneurs/ Exporters	13 CFCs with maximum of 60 lakhs each	780.00
(2). Design Development		
25 days training for 30 artisans	63 trainings @ Rs. 3.00 Lakhs each	189.00
5 months Integrated training for 40 artisans	21 trainings (three each in one blocks) @ Rs. 8.45 lakhs each	177.45
Sub-Total		1146.45
(3). Market Promotion		
Exhibition	10 exhibitions @ Rs. 7 lakhs each	70.00
Craft Bazaar	24 craft bazaars.	292.00
Buyer Seller Meets in India	Two meets – one per annum @Rs. 15.00 lakhs each	30.00
Sub- Total		392.00
Direct Assistance	Tool kit worth Rs.5000/- for 10000 Artisans	500.00
Grand Total		2038.45
