LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.1543 TO BE ANSWERED ON 09.03.2017

SKILL DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMME

1543. SHRI D.S. RATHOD:

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

- (a) whether the Union Government proposes to provide skill development training in handicrafts in North-Eastern States; and
- (b) if so, the details of the programme chalked out for the purpose?

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ANSWER

वस्त्र राज्य मंत्री (श्री अजय टम्टा) MINISTER OF STATE FOR TEXTILES (SHRI AJAY TAMTA)

- (a): Yes, Madam. Skills development needs of the artisans are addressed through two schemes of office of the Development Commissioner (Handicrafts) namely Human Resource Development and Design and Technical Development scheme. In addition, under Cluster Scheme i.e. Ambedkar Hastshilp Vikas Yojana, skill upgradation and design training are also provided for holistic upliftment of handicraft artisans. These programmes are implemented throughout the country including North Eastern States.
- (b): Training is provided through Established Institutions, Guru Shishya Parampara model, Design & Technical Development Workshops and Integrated Design & Technical Development Projects.
