# LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.3083 TO BE ANSWERED ON 03.08.2017

#### TRADITIONAL HANDICRAFTS

#### 3083. SHRI LAXMI NARAYAN YADAV:

Will the Minister of TEXTILES वस्त्र मंत्री

be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Union Government has taken any steps for the development of traditional handicrafts industry in Madhya Pradesh;
- (b) if so, the details of the works carried out in this regard in the State during the last three years; and
- (c) if not, the reasons therefor and the steps proposed to be taken thereon?

### उत्तर

#### **ANSWER**

वस्त्र राज्य मंत्री (श्री अजय टम्टा)

# MINISTER OF STATE FOR TEXTILES (SHRI AJAY TAMTA)

(a): Yes, Madam. Office of the Development Commissioner [Handicrafts] implements various schemes for promotion and development of handicrafts sector through out the country including the state of Madhya Pradesh under "National Handicraft Development Programme [NHDP]" and Comprehensive Handicrafts Cluster Development Scheme (CHCDS). The NHDP has following components.

- 1. Dastkar Shashktikaran Yojana under Ambedkar Hastshilp Vikas Yojna (AHVY)
- 2. Design & Technology Upgradation (DTU)
- 3. Human Resource Development (HRD)
- 4. Direct Benefit to Artisans (DBT)
- 5. Infrastructure and Technology Support (ITS)
- 6. Research and Development (R&D)
- 7. Marketing Support & Services (MSS)

Comprehensive Handicrafts Cluster Development Scheme (CHCDS) is also known as Mega Cluster scheme which cover all the components of NHDP. Major components of CHCDS are as detailed below:-

- 1. Mega Cluster (MC)
- 2. Special projects under Integrated Development and Promotion of Handicraft (IDPH)
- **(b) & (c):** The State-wise number of programmes organized and funds released to the state of Madhya Pradesh under various schemes implemented by Development Commissioner (Handicrafts) during the last three years is as under:-

## **Number of Programme**

Year	AHVY	DTU	MSS	R&D	HRD	MC	Infra	DBT *
2014-15	70 Design Projects and 17 Training under HRD	4 Design and 1 Integrated Desgin Work Shops	7 Exhibitions	1 Study	1 Training through Established Institutes and 4 Handicraft Technical Training Programme	-	-	-
2015-16	13 Base Line Surveys, 36 Design Projects, 20 Training under HRD and 14 Marketing Events	12 Design and 4 Integrated Desgin Work Shops	9 Exhibitions	2 Work- shops and 1 Brand Building	8 handicraft Technical Training Programmes, 2 Soft Skills and 7 Guru Shisya Prampara Trainings	1 DPR Project	-	1 Financial Assitance under Indigenous circumstance
2016-17	24 Base Line Surveys, 24 Design Projects, 21 Training under HRD and 11Welfare Projects	2 Design and 3 Integrated Desgin Work Shops	7 Exhibitions	1 Seminar	2 Training through Established Institutes, 4 Handicraft Technical Training Programm, 2 Soft Skills and 18 Guru Shisya Prampara Trainings.	-	-	1 Financial Assitance under Indigenous circumstance

#### **Funds Released**

# Rs. in Lakhs

Year	AHVY	DTU	MSS	R&D	HRD	MC	Infra	DBT *	Total
2014-15	246.76	5.72	81.96	4.23	98.41	0.00			437.08
2015-16	265.36	34.33	38.00	26.93	64.85	27.65	572.94		1030.06
2016-17	236.00	47.73	71.73	22.97	130.58	0	0		509.01

<sup>\*</sup> State-wise funds are not released under direct b enefit to artisan (DBT) scheme.

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