# LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.1130 TO BE ANSWERED ON 08.02.2018

### POWER TEX INDIA SCHEME

### 1130. SHRI RAM CHARITRA NISHAD:

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

- (a) whether more funds are required to meet the requirement under the Power Tex India Scheme and if so, the details thereof;
- (b) whether the Government is considering to enhance the capital subsidy for powerloom from 10% to 30%, and is so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether about 10 proposals were sanctioned under the Yarn Bank and Group Workshed Scheme and another 70 applications are pending; and
  - (d) if so, the details thereof?

#### उत्तर

## **ANSWER**

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

- (a): A sum of Rs. 115.15 crores has been allocated for PowerTex India Scheme under Revised Estimates for the year 2017-18. Out of this, Rs.98.21crores has been spent so far.
- **(b):** There is no proposal, at present, to enhance capital subsidy for powerloom from 10% to 30%.
- **(c) & (d):** During 2017-18, 48 Yarn Bank proposals and 120 Group Workshed proposals have been approved. At present, there are only six applications for Group Worksheds.

\*\*\*\*