LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3711 TO BE ANSWERED ON 09.08.2018

AMENDED TECHNOLOGY UPGRADATION FUND SCHEME

3711. SHRI P. NAGARAJAN:

Will the Minister of TEXTILES वस्त्र मंत्री

be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Union Government is presently implementing Amended Technology Upgradation Fund Scheme (ATUFS) in the textile sector;
- (b) if so, the details and objectives thereof; and
- (c) the funds allocated under this scheme during each of the last three years and the current year?

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ANSWER

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

(a)& (b): Yes, Madam. The Government is implementing Amended Technology Up-gradation Fund Scheme (ATUFS) during 13.01.2016 to 31.03.2022 with an objective to promote ease of doing business in the country and achieve the vision of generating employment and promoting exports through "Make in India" with "Zero effect and Zero defect" in textile industry. The total outlay of the Scheme is Rs. 17822 Crore. The scheme is credit linked and Capital Investment Subsidy (CIS) under the scheme is reimbursed, as per the following rates directly to the units:

Segment	Rate of Capital Investment Subsidy (CIS)
Garmenting, Technical Textiles	15% subject to an upper limit of Rs 30 crores
Weaving for brand new Shuttle-less Looms (including weaving preparatory and knitting), Processing, Jute, Silk and Handloom.	10% subject to an upper limit of Rs 20 crores
Composite unit /Multiple Segments - If the eligible capital investment in respect of Garmenting and Technical Textiles category is more than 50% of the eligible project cost.	15% subject to an upper limit of Rs 30 crores
Composite unit/ Multiple Segments - If the eligible capital investment in respect of Garmenting and Technical Textiles category is less than 50% of the eligible project cost.	10% subject to an upper limit of Rs 20 crores

(c): Funds allocated under the scheme during last three years and the current year are as follows:

Year	Fund allocated (In Rs. Crore)
2015-16	1520.79
2016-17	1480.00
2017-18	2013.00
2018-19	2300.00