#### LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.1249 TO BE ANSWERED ON 28.06.2019

#### HATHKARGHA SAMVARDHAN SAHAYATA (HSS) YOJANA

#### 1249. SHRI A. RAJA:

## Will the Minister of TEXTILES वस्त्र मंत्री

#### be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government had launched Hathkargha Samvardhan Sahayata (HSS) Yojana for handloom weavers;
- (b) if so, the details thereof along with the aims and objectives thereof;
- (c) the ratio of sharing financial assistance between the Government and beneficiary;
- (d) the total financial assistance provided by the Government under the HSS Yojana, till date, State/UT-wise;
- (e) the number of handloom weavers benefited from the HSS, till date, State/UT-wise; and
- (f) the monitoring mechanism developed by the Government in this regard?

## उत्तर

# **ANSWER**

# वस्त्र मंत्री (श्रीमती समृति ज़्बिन इरानी)

# MINISTER OF TEXTILES (SMT. SMRITI ZUBIN IRANI)

- (a) & (b): The Government of India, Ministry of Textiles introduced the technology up-gradation scheme under National Handloom Development Programme (NHDP) and Comprehensive Handloom Cluster Development Scheme (CHCDS) in 2015-16. The technology up-gradation scheme with some modifications was named as "Hathkargha Samvardhan Sahayata (HSS) Yojana" in December 2016, for providing upgraded looms/accessories to handloom weavers to improve quality of fabric and enhance productivity.
- (c): Under the Yojana, the Government of India bears 90% of the cost of looms/accessories & remaining 10% is borne by the beneficiary.
- (d) & (e): A statement showing State-wise total financial assistance provided and the number of handloom weavers benefited till date is at Annexure-I.
- **(f):** The scheme is monitored at different levels by Government of India and State Government.

#### Annexure - I Statement referred to in reply to parts (d) & (e) of the Unstarred Question No.1249 dated 28.06.2019 **Financial assistance** Number of handloom S. No. States provided (Rs.in lakh) weavers benefited Andhra Pradesh 559.41 366 2 Arunachal pradesh 100.98 647 3 980.06 1692 Assam 4 Bihar 185.49 10 5 Chhatisgarh 83.17 203 Himachal Pradesh 34.88 0 6 2.25 Haryana 0 8 Jammu & Kashmir 121 129.48 9 Jharkhand 477.00 390 10 Karnataka 45.84 1041 11 Kerala 100.41 1438 12 Madhya Pradesh 191 45.69 13 Maharashtra 9.22 59 14 113.92 2002 Manipur 15 27.97 Meghalaya 221

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Mizoram

Nagaland

Rajasthan

Tamil nadu

Uttar Pradesh

Uttrakhand

West Bengal

Telangana

Odisha

Sikkim

Tripura

Total