LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1159 TO BE ANSWERED ON 14.12.2022

NATIONAL HANDLOOM DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMME

1159. SHRI DHARMENDRA KASHYAP:

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

- (a) the State-wise details of the funds allocated to various States for implementation of all the schemes under National Handloom Development Programme (NHDP) during the last three years, State-wise;
- (b) the details of the percentage of the allocated funds which has been utilised for the beneficiaries during the last three years;
- (c) the details of the number of beneficiaries who have benefited from these schemes, State-wise; and
- (d) whether there are any new schemes under consideration under this programme, if so, the details thereof?

उत्तर ANSWER वस्त्र राज्य मंत्री (**श्रीमती दर्शना जरदोश**) THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR TEXTILES (SMT. DARSHANA JARDOSH)

(a) to (d): Ministry of Textiles is implementing National Handloom Development Programme(NHDP) to provide need based financial assistance through various components like Cluster Development Programme, Handloom Marketing Assistance, Weaver's Mudra loan, Weaver's welfare etc. Under this scheme, funds are not allocated State/UT-wise. However, under NHDP, during last three years, fund of Rs. 493.70 crore has been allocated and Rs. 474 crore has been utilised, which is 96% of the allocated funds.

Further, under Cluster Development Programme and Handloom Marketing Assistance components, funds are released to States/UTs, based on the complete proposals received from them. Also, 2nd (final) instalment under the scheme is released after utilisation of 70% of funds of 1st instalment. During last three years, about 8.06 lakh handloom workers have been benefited across the country. State-wise detail of funds released under Cluster Development Programme and Handloom Marketing Assistance during last three years is annexed.

Statement referred to in reply of part (a) to (d) of Lok Sabha Unstarred Question		
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S. No.	State	Funds released (Rs.in lakh)
1.	Andhra Pradesh	2,216.73
2.	Arunachal Pradesh	191.10
3.	Assam	1,680.52
4.	Bihar	491.44
5.	Chhattisgarh	376.99
6.	Gujarat	165.21
7.	Haryana	6.60
8.	Himachal Pradesh	72.98
9.	Jammu & Kashmir	361.11
10.	Jharkhand	475.27
11.	Karnataka	682.25
12.	Kerala	487.24
13.	Ladakh	6.65
14.	Madhya Pradesh	321.75
15.	Maharashtra	245.64
16.	Manipur	1,197.12
17.	Mizoram	782.86
18.	Nagaland	386.63
19.	Odisha	1,009.83
20.	Punjab	24.14
21.	Rajasthan	59.10
22.	Sikkim	126.58
23.	Tamil Nadu	753.74
24.	Telangana	570.19
25.	Tripura	469.60
26.	Uttar Pradesh	734.98
27.	Uttarakhand	64.12
28.	West Bengal	353.24
	TOTAL	14,313.61