### LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1380 TO BE ANSWERED ON 14.12.2022

#### EXPORT OF HANDICRAFT

#### 1380. DR. BHARATIBEN DHIRUBHAI SHIYAL: SHRI SHANKAR LALWANI:

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

- (a) the details of the quantum of export of handicraft products over the last two years, year-wise;
- (b) the details of the process through which maximum business was transacted and the quantum of business transacted through e-commerce platform; and
- (c) the steps taken/proposed to be taken by the Government to augment the transaction of Handicraft business?

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

- (a) & (b): Details of export of handicraft products including through e-commerce platform over the last two year is enclosed at annexure-1.
- (c): Ministry of Textiles organized marketing events both in domestic as well as international markets to provide direct marketing platform to artisans. In financial year 2020-21 & 2021-22 a total of 397 domestic & 55 international marketing events were organized.

# Annexure referred to the reply of part (a) and (b) of Lok Sabha Unstarred Question No. 1380 to be answered on 14.12.2022

The details of the quantum of export of handicraft products over the last two years, year-wise.

	Rs. In Crore		US \$ in Millions	
Items	2020-21	2021-22	2020-21	2021-22
	(April-March)		(April-March)	
Art metal Wares	3,344.01	4,179.83	450.52	560.58
Woodwares	6,620.85	7,891.24	892.00	1,058.34
Handprinted Textiles	2,463.99	2,995.76	331.96	401.78
Embroidered & Crocheted	4,399.77	5,674.17	592.76	761.00
Goods				
Shawls as Artwares	2.39	7.95	0.32	1.07
Zari & Zari Goods	120.10	104.16	16.18	14.01
Imitation Jewellery	1,250.37	1,660.52	168.46	222.70
Agarbatties & Attars	1,214.86	1,587.86	163.67	212.96
Misc. Handicrafts	6,263.64	8,315.41	843.87	1,115.23
Total	25,679.98	32,417.20	3,459.74	4,347.67

Source: The directorate General of Commercial intelligence and Statistics (DGCI&S)