## LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 63 TO BE ANSWERED ON 07.12.2022

## TEXTILE PARK

## 63. SHRI S. MUNISWAMY:

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

- (a) the parameters taken into consideration while establishing a textile park in the country;
- (b) whether silk as the raw material ever considered for setting up of a textile park in the country;
- (c) if so, the details thereof; and
- (d) if not, whether Kolar in Karnataka be considered for setting up a textile park or a textile corridor in the larger interest of the farmers of the area?

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

- (a): With an objective to provide financial assistance to a group of entrepreneurs to establish state-of-the-art infrastructure facilities in a cluster for setting up their textile units, confirming to international environmental and social standards and thereby mobilize private investment in the textile sector and generate fresh employment opportunities, the government has been implementing Scheme for Industrial parks (SITP) since 2005. Qualifying parameters for selection includes compatibility of the proposal with objectives, suitability of location, availability of land & status of acquisitions; cost of the project, mode of funding & phasing of expenditure, name of the implementing & Managing Agency/SPV, sustainability issues.
- **(b) to (d):** Under SITP, one Park with focus on silk namely Perarignar Anna Handloom Silk Park, Kanchipuram, Tamil Nadu has been approved. So far, no proposal for setting up textiles Park at Kolar in Karnataka has been received in the Ministry.

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