

LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 83
TO BE ANSWERED ON 07.12.2022

PM MUDRA YOJANA

83. DR. SANJEEV KUMAR SINGARI:

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

- (a) the number and amount of loans given to weavers under the PM Mudra Yojana;
- (b) whether the Government has taken any steps to increase the number and amount of loans to weavers especially in the aftermath of the COVID-19 pandemic;
- (c) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor;
- (d) whether the Government has taken any steps to increase ease of availing such loans and awareness regarding the same; and
- (e) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?

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

(a): 44,037 number of MUDRA loans with loan amount of Rs.246.24 crore have been sanctioned to handloom sector during the last three years and current financial year (upto 31.10.2022) under Concessional Credit/Weaver MUDRA Scheme.

(b) & (c): Ministry of Textiles, Government of India has written to Chairman/CEO/MD/President of all Banks and State Governments to sensitize Bank branches about the scheme, register on portal, expeditious sanction/disbursement of loans and organize regular meetings to monitor the progress for increasing number & amount of loans to weavers, across the Country.

(d) & (e): Ministry of Textiles, Government of India has requested State Governments to sponsor maximum number of loan applications for handloom pockets. Further, intensive publicity through newspapers, Awareness Camps/ Chaupals & distribution of pamphlets in weavers' pockets are being organized in association with State Governments & banks concerned to encourage and educate handloom weavers for availing loan benefits. Local Public Representatives are also being invited in Awareness Camps/Chaupals for their affirmative impact on the handloom workers.
