LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3071 TO BE ANSWERED ON 06/12/2019

OPENING OF TEXTILE INDUSTRY IN ODISHA

3071. SHRI BASANTA KUMAR PANDA:

Will the Minister of TEXTILES वस्त्र मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether there is a proposal of the Government to set up a textile industry in Odisha or specifically in the constituency of Kalahandi;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) if not, the reasons therefor?

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ANSWER वस्त्र मंत्री (**श्रीमती स्मृति ज़ूबिन इरानी**) MINISTER OF TEXTILES (SMT. SMRITI ZUBIN IRANI)

The role of the Government is to ensure a conducive policy environment, facilitate in (a) to (c): creating a congenial ecosystem with enabling conditions for the industry and private entrepreneurs to set up units. Policy initiatives and schemes of government include Amended Technology Upgradation Fund Scheme (A-TUFS), Schemes for the development of the Powerloom Sector(Power-Tex), Schemes for Technical Textiles, Scheme for Integrated Textile Parks (SITP), Scheme for Additional Grant for Apparel Manufacturing Units under SITP (SAGAM), SAMARTH- The Scheme for Capacity Building in Textile Sector (SCBTS), Jute (ICARE-Improved Cultivation and Advanced Retting Exercise), Integrated Processing Development Scheme (IPDS), National Handloom Development Progarmme, Comprehensive Handloom Cluster Development Scheme (CHCDS), Silk Samagra, Integrated Wool Development Programme (IWDP), North East Region Textiles Promotion Scheme (NERTPS), Rebate of State and Central Taxes and Levies (ROSCTL) etc. The Government had also approved a special package for textile sector with an outlay of Rs. 6000 crores to boost employment generation and exports particularly in Garmenting and Made-ups. The above schemes are aimed at promotion/upgradation of Textile Industries/Units all over the country including Kalahandi, Odisha. The indicative physical targets are allotted to States/implementing agencies including the State of Odisha.