## GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF MICRO, SMALL AND MEDIUM ENTERPRISES

# LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2412 TO BE ANSWERED ON 05.03.2020

### **GROWTH OF MSMEs**

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Will the Minister of MICRO, SMALL AND MEDIUM ENTERPRISES be pleased to state:

- (a) whether Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises (MSMEs) have been consistently registering a slower growth rate than the overall growth of the industrial sector in the country;
- (b) if so, the growth rate registered by the MSME sector during the last three years;
- (c) whether the Government has fixed any target for increasing total number of entrepreneurs in MSME sector in the country including Tamil Nadu during the last three years and the current year;
- (d) if so, the details thereof; and
- (e) the steps taken/proposed to be taken by the Government to achieve the growth targets fixed during the next three years?

#### **ANSWER**

# MINISTER OF MICRO, SMALL AND MEDIUM ENTERPRISES (SHRI NITIN GADKARI)

(a) & (b): As per information provided by National Statistical Office, the growth of MSME sector at constant prices (2011-12) and growth rate of General Index of Industrial Production (IIP) are as follows:

Year	Growth rate of MSMEs (in %)	Growth rate of General Index of
		Industrial Production (in %)
2015-16	9.8	3.3
2016-17	8.1	4.6
2017-18	8.5	4.4

(c) & (d): As per Udyog Aadhar Memorandum (UAM) total numbers of MSMEs registered in India during the last three years including State of Tamil Nadu are given below:

Year	India	Tamil Nadu
2016-17	2373058	267491
2017-18	1517455	217962
2018-19	2121545	232924

(e): The Ministry of MSME implements various schemes and programmes for growth and development of MSME Sector in the country. These schemes and programmes include Prime Minister's Employment Generation programme (PMEGP), Scheme of Fund for Regeneration of Traditional Industries (SFURTI), A Scheme for Promoting Innovation, Rural Industry & Entrepreneurship (ASPIRE), Interest Subvention Scheme for Incremental Credit to MSMEs, Credit Guarantee Scheme for Micro and Small Enterprises, Micro and Small Enterprises Cluster Development Programme (MSE-CDP), Credit Linked Capital Subsidy and Technology Upgradation Scheme (CLCS-TUS).