

LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3389  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 13.03.2020

TEXTILE MILLS

3389. SHRI AJAY NISHAD:

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

- (a) the number of textile mills shut down/turned sick during the last three years and as on date, State/UT-wise along with the reasons therefor;
- (b) the extent of financial loss and the number of labours rendered unemployed as a result of the untimely closure; and
- (c) the corrective measures taken and the financial assistance given by the Government for the rehabilitation of the unemployed labourers?

उत्तर

ANSWER

वस्त्र मंत्री (श्रीमती स्मृति जूबिन इरानी)  
MINISTER OF TEXTILES  
(SMT. SMRITI ZUBIN IRANI)

**(a) & (b):** As far as NTC is concerned, there is no textile mills shut down/turned sick during the last three years. 34 new cotton/man-made fibre Spinning/Composite mills have been enlisted during the last three years till 30.09.2019. State/ UT-wise details of 43 closed Non Small Scale Industry (Non-SSI) cotton and man-made fiber textiles mills during last three years and as on 30.09.2019 are at **Annexure**. Mills have been closed in the country, over the years mainly owing to financial problems and labour related issues.

**(c):** Government of India had introduced a Scheme viz., Textile Workers Rehabilitation Fund Scheme (TWRFS) with effect from 15.09.1986 to provide relief to the workers, who were rendered jobless due to permanent closure of Non-SSI textile mills in private sector. However, the scheme has now been merged with the Rajiv Gandhi Shramik Kalyan Yojana (RGSKY) of Ministry of Labour and Employment. Workers rendered jobless can avail benefits under the said scheme.

## Annexure

**State/UT wise number of closed Non Small Scale Industry (Non-SSI) Cotton & Man-Made Textile Mills in last 3 years and current year as on 30.09.2019.**

Sr.No	State	2016-17		2017-18		2018-19		April-2019 to Sept-2019		Total	
		Closed Unit	Workers affected	Closed Unit	Workers affected	Closed Unit	Workers affected	Closed Unit	Workers affected	Closed Unit	Workers affected
1	Andhra Pradesh	2	193	1	207	0	0	0	0	3	400
2	Assam	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
3	Bihar	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
4	Chhattisgarh	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
5	Dadra Nagar Haveli	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
6	Daman & Diu	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
7	Delhi	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
8	Goa	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
9	Gujarat	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
10	Haryana	1	39	0	0	0	0	2	90	3	129
11	Himachal Pradesh	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
12	Jammu & Kashmir	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
13	Jharkhand	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
14	Karnataka	0	0	0	0	1	142	0	0	1	142
15	Kerala	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
16	Madhya Pradesh	1	1000	2	1415	0	0	0	0	3	2415
17	Maharashtra	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
18	Manipur	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
19	Orissa	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
20	Pondicherry	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
21	Punjab	0	0	1	19	0	0	0	0	1	19
22	Rajasthan	3	1389	1	643	0	0	0	0	4	2032
23	Tamil Nadu	15	2473	5	814	2	126	0	0	22	3413
24	Telangana	3	974	2	1169	0	0	0	0	5	2143
25	Uttar Pradesh	1	277	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	277
26	Uttaranchal	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
27	West Bengal	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	<b>T o t a l</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>6345</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>4267</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>268</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>90</b>	43	10970

Source : Database maintained by Office of the Textile Commissioner, Mumbai

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