## LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2882 TO BE ANSWERED ON 12.03.2021

## HANDLOOM CLUSTERS IN ANDHRA PRADESH

## 2882. SHRI KANUMURU RAGHU RAMA KRISHNA RAJU:

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

- (a) whether it is a fact that the Union Government has sanctioned Handloom Clusters to the State Government of Andhra Pradesh to be established in Mandal Headquarters;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the quantum of allocations made for each cluster and the funds released under this project?

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

(a) to (c): Since 2015-16, based on the viable proposals received from the Government of Andhra Pradesh, Ministry of Textiles has sanctioned following 54 Block Level Clusters (BLCs) under National Handloom Development Programme (NHDP) and Comprehensive Handloom Cluster Development Scheme(CHCDS):-

S.	Name of BLC and district	Amount released
No.		(Rs. in lakh)
1	Tilaru, Srikakulam	35.395
2	Mori, East Godavari	36.540
3	A Vemavaram, West Godavari	32.240
4	West Pedana, Krishna	28.541
5	Central Pedana, Krishna	32.114
6	North Pedana, Krishna	25.355
7	Uppada, East Godavari	27.645
8	Puttaparthi, Ananthapuram	29.000
9	Uravakonda, Ananthapuram	44.055
10	Venkatachalam, Nellore	32.265
11	Sri Vivekananda, Madanapalle, Chittoor	43.850
12	Bandar (Machilipatnam), Krishna	75.891
13	Mydukur, Kadapa	84.837
14	Ghantasala, Krishna	41.043
15	Vetapalem, Prakasam	121.913
16	Ramannapeta, Prakasam	80.467
17	Epurupalem East, Prakasam	126.167
18	Epurupalem West, Prakasam	123.258
19	Epurupalem South, Prakasam	125.094

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No.		(Rs. in lakh)
20	Chirala-I, Prakasam	121.942
21	Chirala-II, Prakasam	79.913
22	Chirala-III, Prakasam	126.271
23	Chirala – IV, Prakasam	80.522
24	Kothapatnam, Prakasam	126.289
25	Martur, Prakasam	125.263
26	Papayapalli, Prakasam	124.987
27	Repalle, Guntur	123.256
28	Ilavaram, Guntur	80.550
29	Cherukupalli, Guntur	122.855
30	Ponnur, Guntur	75.582
31	Tenali, Guntur	80.467
32	Bhattiprolu, Guntur	78.810
33	Mangalagiri – I, Guntur	79.911
34	Mangalagiri – II, Guntur	79.150
35	Mangalagiri – III, Guntur	77.462
36	Mangalagiri – IV, Guntur	80.362
37	Mangalagiri – V, Guntur	80.150
38	Chilakaluripet, Guntur	125.249
39	Phirangipuram, Guntur	80.287
40	Narasaraopet, Guntur	123.160
41	Sattenapalli, Guntur	80.462
42	Dayankhanapalli, Kadapa	16.560
43	Sivalayam Nagar, Kadapa	36.585
44	Sri Thirumala, Kadapa	36.585
45	Sri Moragudi, Kadapa	36.675
46	Putlamma, Ananthapuram	27.008
47	Chennur, Nellore	35.794
48	Srinivasa, Kadapa	85.541
49	Appanapalli, Kadapa	87.068
50	Mallavolu, Krishna	87.403
51	Chenethapuri, Prakasam	124.995
52	Desaipeta East, Prakasam	123.273
53	Desaipeta West, Prakasam	126.270
54	Pandillapalli, Prakasam	80.548