LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1670 TO BE ANSWERED ON 08.12.2021

AMENDED TECHNOLOGY UPGRADATION FUND SCHEME

1670. SHRIMATI POONAM MAHAJAN: MS. DEBASREE CHAUDHURI:

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

- (a) the details of the total number of capital investment subsidies issued during the last three years under the Amended Technology Upgradation Fund Scheme (ATUFS);
- (b) the details of total number of energy saving machines incentivized during the same period, Statewise:
- (c) the total number of subsidy eligible machines purchased during the said period; and
- (d) whether the Government has studied the production increase in weaving in the last three years; and
- (e) if so, the details thereof year-wise?

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

- (a): Total Capital Investment subsidy of Rs. 615.65 crore has been released in 2388 cases under Amended Technology Upgradation Fund Scheme (ATUFS) during the last three years. In addition, a total of Rs. 880.55 crore has been disbursed as Interest Reimbursement/Margin Money Subsidy under the committed liabilities of old version of TUFS, making the total release under ATUFS during last 3 years as Rs. 1496.20 crore.
- **(b):** 403 energy saving machine have been incentivized during the last three years under ATUFS. State- wise details of energy saving machinery are given at Annexure.
- (c): As per the requests submitted by units for verification against their subsidy claims under ATUFS, a total of 3,21,085 number of machines have been purchased during last three years.
- (d) & (e): As per the report of Impact Assessment study of TUFS/ATUFS by NITI Aayog in January 2021, the scheme had a significant impact on increasing production and improving productivity. Beneficiaries gained significantly in terms of productivity improvement, waste reduction, cost saving, resource efficiency etc. due to investment in upgraded technology. More than 85% beneficiaries witnessed an increase in production volume. In **weaving segment**, more than 75% beneficiaries witnessed an increase in production volume of greater than 5%.

Annexure

State-wise details of total number of energy saving machines incentivized during the last three years are given below:

State	2018-19	2019-20	2020-21
DADRA & NAGAR		75	
GUJARAT		28	72
HARYANA		1	
HIMACHAL PRADESH			1
KARNATAKA			1
MADHYA PRADESH			104
MAHARASHTRA	4		47
PUNJAB		15	6
RAJASTHAN			4
TAMIL NADU	1	21	18
UTTAR PRADESH			3
WEST BENGAL			2
Total	5	140	258