## LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 168 TO BE ANSWERED ON 02.02.2022

## PROBLEM FACED BY TEXTILE SECTOR

## 168. SHRI RAMALINGAM S.:

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

(a) whether textile sector in the country, particularly in Tamil Nadu is facing various problems like increase in inputs, labour problems due to lock out, etc. and if so, the details thereof;

(b) whether the Government has ever assessed the existing problems and tried to bring out any scheme to strengthen the textile industry;

(c) if so, the details thereof; and

(d) if not, the reasons therefor?

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

(a) to (d): In order to address issues pertaining to fragmentation, lack of scale, lack of focus on Manmade fibre (MMF) products, etc. Government has introduced new schemes viz. Production-Linked Incentive (PLI) Scheme and Pradhan Mantri Mega Integrated Textile Region Parks (PM-MITRA). In addition, Government has taken various steps/measures to address issues of textiles sector in the country including Tamil Nadu, by way of implementing various schemes such as Amended Technology Upgradation Fund Scheme (ATUFS), Scheme for Integrated Textile Parks (SITP), Integrated Processing Development Scheme (IPDS), sectoral schemes for traditional sectors viz., Handloom, Handicrafts, Jute, Silk, etc.

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