

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF MICRO, SMALL AND MEDIUM ENTERPRISES

LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 268
TO BE ANSWERED ON 03.02.2022

EXPANSION OF MSME SECTOR

268. SHRIMATI RITI PATHAK:
SHRI JUGAL KISHORE SHARMA:
SHRIMATI GEETA KORA:
SHRI DILIP SAIKIA:
SHRI RAMESH CHANDER KAUSHIK:

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

- (a) whether the Government has formulated any action plan for the expansion of small and medium enterprises and to increase employment opportunities in rural areas of the country particularly in North Eastern states including Assam;
- (b) if so, the details of the action plan formulated for Assam, Sonipat in Haryana, Jammu and Kashmir, Madhya Pradesh, Singhbhum area of Jharkhand; and
- (c) the nature of the action plan and the funds allocated by the Government for this purpose?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF MICRO, SMALL AND MEDIUM ENTERPRISES
(SHRI NARAYAN RANE)

(a) to (c): Promotion and development of enterprises is a State subject. The Central Government supplements the efforts of the State/UT Governments through various schemes, programmes and policy initiatives for promotion, development and enhancing the competitiveness of MSMEs and to increase employment opportunities in the country.

The Ministry of MSME implements various schemes and programmes for growth and development of MSME Sector in the country. These schemes and programmes inter-alia 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), Credit Guarantee Scheme for Micro and Small Enterprises, Micro and Small Enterprises Cluster Development Programme (MSE-CDP) etc. Benefits under these schemes are available to all eligible MSMEs throughout the country. Ministry of MSME has also been implementing a special scheme viz. 'Promotion of MSMEs in North Eastern Region and Sikkim' which focuses on improving the condition of MSME Sector in North Eastern States including Assam. The Scheme-wise Budget allocation of these schemes is annexed.

Annexure

		Budget Allocation (Rs. in crore)		
S. No.	Name of the Scheme	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22 (As on 31.12.2021)
1	Prime Minister's Employment Generation Programme (PMEGP)	2,327.10	2,500.00	2,000.00
2	Scheme of Fund for Regeneration of Traditional Industries (SFURTI)	125.00	464.85	170.00
3	A Scheme for Promoting Innovation, Rural Industry & Entrepreneurship (ASPIRE)	50.00	30.00	15.00
4	Credit Guarantee Scheme	597.00	100.00	0.04
5	Micro and Small Enterprises Cluster Development Programme (MSE-CDP)	227.90	390.69	156.60