LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 5610 TO BE ANSWERED ON 06.04.2022

GARMENT EXPORTS

5610. SHRI GNANATHIRAVIAM S.:

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

(a) whether the Government has called a meeting of all major textile garment exporters and industry representatives recently to discuss various issues relating to boosting of exports in the wake of continuing recession in garment exports;

(b) if so, the details of the agenda discussed and suggestions received along with the decisions taken at the meeting for remedial action;

(c) the performance of the garment exports for the past three years vis-à-vis exports for the current year; and

(d) the details of the incentives proposed to be provided for textile garments sector in the coming years?

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

(a) & (b): Regular meetings are held with Textiles Export Promotion Councils/industry stakeholders to review their export performance vis-à-vis export target set for various sub-sectors of Textiles including garment and to discuss the way forward in promoting their export.

(c): The details of garment exports for the past three years vis-à-vis current year are as follows:

(USD mn)

Commodity	2018-19	2019-20		Apr 2021-Feb 2022
Readymade Garment	16,138	15,488	12,272	14,275

Source: DGCIS provisional data

(d): To promote production of MMF Apparel, MMF Fabrics and Products of Technical Textiles in the country, the Government has approved the Production Linked Incentive (PLI) Scheme for Textiles. The selected companies will be eligible to get incentives on achieving the threshold investment and threshold/incremental turnover. The Scheme has two parts: Part-1 & Part-2. Under Scheme Part-1, 15% incentive will be provided on attaining required turnover in Year-1. Under Scheme Part-2, 11% incentive will be provided on attaining required turnover in Year-1. Incentive will be reduced by 1% every year from Year-2 onward till the Year-5 under both parts of the Scheme.

In addition, Government has approved setting up of 7 (seven) PM Mega Integrated Textile Regions and Apparel (PM MITRA) Parks in Greenfield/ Brownfield sites to develop world class infrastructure including plug and play facility. There is provision for incentivizing manufacturing units for setting up units early in PM MITRA. This is only available to those manufacturing companies who are not availing Textile PLI scheme benefits.
