

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF ELECTRONICS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY
LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1704
TO BE ANSWERED ON 27.07.2022

ESTABLISHMENT OF ITIR

1704. SHRI ARVIND DHARMAPURI:

Will the Minister of ELECTRONICS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of proposals received from various State Governments for the establishment of Information Technology Investment Region (ITIR) and the present status of the proposals, State-wise;
- (b) whether such a proposal has been received from the Government of Telangana for the establishment of ITIR;
- (c) if so, the details thereof; and
- (d) the steps being taken by the Government for the establishment of ITIR in Telangana?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE FOR ELECTRONICS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY
(SHRI RAJEEV CHANDRASEKHAR)

(a) to (d): Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology (MeitY) notified Information Technology Investment Region (ITIR) policy vide notification dated 28th May, 2008 to develop self contained integrated township to accelerate growth of Information Technology (IT) / Information Technology Enabled Services (ITeS)/ Electronics Hardware Manufacturing (EHM) industry. Under the policy, five (5) proposals for setting up of ITIR were received from states of Karnataka (Bengaluru), Andhra Pradesh (Vishakhapatnam), Telangana (Hyderabad), Tamil Nadu (near Chennai) and Odisha (Bhubaneswar). Out of these, ITIR was notified in State of Karnataka (Bengaluru) and Telangana (Hyderabad) on 26th June, 2013 and 13th November, 2013 respectively.

Government has already introduced various schemes/ programmes for infrastructure development and to create sustainable ecosystem for the industry through schemes like Industrial Corridor Development (Department of Industrial Policy and Promotion, now DPIIT), Smart City Mission (Ministry of Urban Development, now MHUA), Electronics Manufacturing Clusters (EMC) scheme (MeitY) etc. wherein considerable financial support has been made available, the objectives of ITIR are being achieved through these schemes / programmes.

ITIR Policy Resolution, 2008 has been discontinued and all activities under the policy have been closed considering more recent industrial schemes/programmes introduced by Government such as DMIC, Smart City and Electronics Manufacturing Clusters etc.
