

LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2895
TO BE ANSWERED ON 03.08.2022

TEXTILE INDUSTRY

2895. SHRI RAHUL RAMESH SHEWALE:
SHRI CHANDRA SEKHAR SAHU:
DR. PRITAM GOPINATHRAO MUNDE:
SHRI GIRISH BHALCHANDRA BAPAT:

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

- (a) whether the textile industry is one of the most promising sectors in the country in terms of employment generation;
- (b) if so, whether the textile industry is witnessing initial signs of a demand slowdown as high energy and food prices have weakened demand for products;
- (c) whether the Government has implemented PLI Scheme and PM Mitra Parks to help the Indian textile sector to achieve the desired scale and also help it emerge a strong competitor in the global market;
- (d) if so, the result achieved by the Indian textile industry after implementation of PLI Scheme and PM Mitra Parks scheme particularly in Odisha; and
- (e) the details of employment generated after the implementation of PLI Scheme & PM Mitra Parks scheme particularly in Odisha?

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ANSWER

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

(a) & (b): Textile sector is one of the biggest source of employment for millions of people in rural and semi urban area. It provides direct and indirect employment to a large number of population. The exports of Textiles & Apparel were USD 29.88 billion in 2020-21 and same has increased to USD 42.35 billion in 2021-22. The year on year growth in exports from 2020-21 to 2021-22 is 42 %.

(c) to (e): Government has approved setting up of 7 (Seven) PM Mega Integrated Textile Region and Apparel (PM MITRA) Parks in Greenfield/Brownfield sites in partnership with the willing State Governments. The Scheme would lead to creation of a modern, integrated large scale, world class industrial infrastructure including plug and play facilities with a budgetary outlay of ₹ 4,445 crore for a period 2021-22 to 2027-28. The Scheme aims to develop integrated large scale and modern industrial infrastructure facility for entire value-chain of the textile industry. It will reduce logistics costs and improve competitiveness of Indian Textiles. The scheme will help India in attracting investments, boosting employment generation and position itself strongly in the global textile market.

Government has also approved the Production Linked Incentive (PLI) Scheme for Textiles, with an approved outlay of Rs 10,683 crore over a five year period, to promote production of Man Made Fibre (MMF) Apparel, MMF Fabrics and Products of Technical Textiles in the country to enable Textile sector to achieve size and scale and to become competitive. In the approved 64 applications so far, the proposed total investment is Rs. 19,798 crore and projected turnover of Rs. 1,93,926 crore with a proposed employment of 2,45,362.
