LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 520 TO BE ANSWERED ON 20.07.2022

MINI TEXTILE PARK

520. SHRI SANJAY BHATIA:

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

(a) whether the industrial areas of Panipat are not provided basic amenities inspite of the fact that this area produces export oriented handloom products;

(b) if so, the reasons therefor; and

(c) the details of the assistance to be provided in setting up of Mini Textile Park in collaboration with the Haryana Government in order to develop global infrastructure in the Parliamentary constituency of Panipat, Haryana?

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

(a) & (b): The Government of India is implementing National Handloom Development Programme (NHDP) and Raw Material Supply Scheme for development and promotion of handloom sector and welfare of handloom weavers across the country including Panipat Haryana. Under these scheme, financial assistance is provided to the eligible handloom agencies/weavers for raw material, common infrastructure development, marketing of handloom product in domestic/overseas market, Weavers Mudra Loan etc.

Ministry of Textile is implementing Samarth (Scheme for Capacity Building in Textile Sector), a demand-driven, placement-oriented skilling programme to incentivize the efforts of textile industry in creating jobs in the organized textile sector and also to promote skilling/ skill up-gradation needs in the traditional sectors (Handlooms, Handicrafts, Silk & Jute) across India including Panipat.

(c): With a view to increase investments, generate employment opportunities and boosting exports in textile sector, the Government had notified the Scheme for Integrated Textile Park (SITP) to provide subsidy for setting up textile parks with world-class state-of-the-art infrastructure in textile hubs across the country. Under the scheme financial assistance is provided to a group of entrepreneurs to establish state-of-the-art infrastructure facilities in a cluster for setting up their textile units, conforming to international environmental and social standards and thereby mobilize private investment in the textile sector and generate fresh employment opportunities. Under SITP, a project viz. Aalishan Textile Park was approved in Panipat, Haryana.