

Government of India
Ministry of Development of North Eastern Region

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QUESTION
Industrial Development in North Eastern Region

354. Shri Shafi Parambil:

Will the Minister of DEVELOPMENT OF NORTH EASTERN REGION be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of the new Industrial units established/opened in North Eastern Region since 2015, State-wise;
- (b) the list of industrial units closed down in each State in the North Eastern Region since 2015;
- (c) Whether there has been industrial development in the North Eastern Region since 2015;
- (d) if so, the details thereof; and
- (e) if not, the reason therefore?

ANSWER

The Minister of State of the Ministry of Development of North Eastern Region
[Dr. Sukanta Majumdar]

(a) to (d) Setting up of industries being a State subject, the primary responsibility of industrial development rests with the State Governments. Ministry does not maintain the record of list of all Industrial units established/opened/closed in North Eastern Region. Government of India supplements their efforts through various schemes to promote industrialization in the country, including the North Eastern Region (NER). Government of India had launched North East Industrial Development Scheme (NEIDS) on 01.04.2017, which was notified on 12.04.2018, to promote industrialization in the North Eastern States. The scheme ended on 31.03.2022. A new scheme UNNATI (Uttar Poorva Transformative Industrialization Scheme) was launched on March 9, 2024 by Government of India for extending support to the industries for enhancing regional infrastructure, create employment opportunities, and promote resilience and prosperity in the region. Under the UNNATI Scheme, the following incentives are provided to the industrial Units:

- i. Capital Investment Incentive (CII)
 - ii. Capital Interest Subvention (CIS)
 - iii. Manufacturing & Services linked incentive (MSLI)
- (e) Does not arise.
