

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF TEXTILES
RAJYA SABHA
QUESTION NO 21.04.2010
ANSWERED ON**

IMPROVING FACILITIES TO HANDLOOM WEAVERS .

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SHRI NAND KISHORE YADAV

Will the Minister of COALTEXTILES be pleased to state :-

- (a) the district-wise details of the efforts made by Government to improve the facilities to handloom weavers and to alleviate their miserable financial conditions in Uttar Pradesh, Andhra Pradesh and Bihar during the last one year, till-date;
- (b) how many handloom weavers in these States are covered under the various schemes during the last one year, till-date, district-wise;
- (c) whether Government will implement health insurance scheme for the weavers and their families in these States;
- (d) if so, the details thereof alongwith the number of weavers covered under the scheme, district-wise; and
- (e) if not, the reasons therefor?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF TEXTILES

(SHRI DAYANIDHI MARAN)

(a) to (e): A statement is laid on the Table of the House.