

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF MICRO, SMALL AND MEDIUM ENTERPRISES

**LOK SABHA**  
**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3504**  
**TO BE ANSWERED ON 21.12.2015**

**KHADI ARTISANS**

3504. SHRI DUSHYANT CHAUTALA:  
SHRI S.P. MUDDAHANUME GOWDA:

Will the Minister of MICRO, SMALL AND MEDIUM ENTERPRISES be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of spinners and weavers who are engaged in producing Khadi garments in the country including Karnataka at present, State-wise;
- (b) the amount given by the Government to spinners and weavers as employment assistance during each of the last three years and the current year, Statewise;
- (c) whether the Government propose to launch any scheme to provide insurance cover to the Khadi artisans in the country; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof and the number of Khadi artisans are likely to be covered under this scheme during the said period, State-wise?

**ANSWER**

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF  
MICRO, SMALL AND MEDIUM ENTERPRISES  
(SHRI GIRIRAJ SINGH)

- (a): The details of number of spinners and weavers engaged in Khadi production in the country including Karnataka is placed at *Annexure-I*.
- (b): The details of amount given by the Government to spinners and weavers as employment assistance during each of the last three years and current year state-wise is placed at *Annexure-II*.
- (c)&(d): Government is already implementing the AamAadmiBimaYojana (AABY) [earlier known as KhadiKarigar 'JanshreeBimaYojana' (JBY)] through Khadi & Village Industries Commission (KVIC) in association with the Life Insurance Corporation of India (LIC) to provide insurance cover to Khadi artisans against normal and accidental death and disability.

Under AABY, the Khadi Artisans belonging to the age group of 18 to 59 years are provided insurance cover for the following:

i)Death (natural)	: Rs. 30,000.00
ii)Death (accidental)	: Rs. 75,000.00
iii)Disability (permanent)	: Rs. 75,000.00
iv)Disability (partial)	: Rs. 37,500.00
v)Educational Benefits (ShikshaSahayogYojana):	

Two children of Khadi Artisan who are studying in standard IX to XII including Industrial Training Institutes(ITIs) are eligible for scholarship ofRs.300/- per quarter.

The premium amount of the scheme is Rs.100/- per annum which is shared as:

12.50% by Artisan

12.50% by KVIC

25% by Khadi Institution

50% by Central Government (National Social Security Fund)

State-wise number of Khadi artisans covered under AABY/JBY during the last five years is placed at *Annexure-III*.

**Annexure-I****Annexure-I referred to in reply to part (a) of the Lok Sabha  
Provisional Unstarred Question No. 3504 for answer on 21.12.2015****State-wise details of number of spinners and weavers engaged in Khadi production**

Sl. No	State/UT	2012-13		2013-14		2014-15		2015-16	
		Spinners	Weavers	Spinners	Weavers	Spinners	Weavers	Spinners	Weavers
1	Jammu & Kashmir	14991	2541	16111	2654	18531	2691	18531	2691
2	Himachal Pradesh	5895	971	6124	987	6309	989	6309	989
3	Punjab	33496	5907	34050	5971	34089	5979	34089	5979
4	Chandigarh	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
5	Uttarakhand	29925	4801	31587	4924	31611	4947	31611	4947
6	Haryana	38195	4981	38574	6174	38614	6184	38614	6184
7	Delhi	2904	951	2931	951	2978	964	2978	964
8	Rajasthan	63858	10987	64531	11011	64542	11017	64542	11017
9	Uttar Pradesh	311474	51574	318501	51987	321547	51999	321547	51999
10	Bihar	85949	13974	86412	14174	86413	14184	86413	14184
11	Sikkim	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
12	Arunachal Pradesh	66	12	67	12	72	12	72	12
13	Nagaland	1545	251	1603	261	1683	281	1683	281
14	Manipur	279	41	293	51	303	51	303	51
15	Mizoram	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
16	Tripura	335	58	359	58	379	61	379	61
17	Meghalaya	53	10	74	10	75	12	75	12
18	Assam	12026	1983	12494	1983	13094	2003	13094	2003
19	West Bengal	77450	11898	79889	12876	79891	12898	79891	12898
20	Jharkhand	2786	584	3147	612	3187	645	3187	645
21	Odisha	2960	974	2981	1140	2981	1163	2981	1163
22	Chhattisgarh	6015	987	5921	1471	5997	1495	5997	1495
23	Madhya Pradesh	4711	1011	5199	1013	5218	1017	5218	1017
24	Gujarat [incl. D&D]	29410	5241	30119	5414	30174	5424	30174	5424
25	Maharashtra[incl. D&NH]	2291	410	1945	438	2011	457	2011	457
26	AP &Telangana	25418	3987	26109	4102	26110	4104	26110	4104
27	Karnataka	30485	5147	31479	5341	31487	5314	31487	5314
28	Goa	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
29	Lakshadweep	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
30	Kerala	12822	2121	13790	2389	13544	1989	13544	1989
31	Tamil Nadu	39603	5941	41108	6512	41427	6541	41427	6541
32	Puducherry	0	0	0	0		0		0
33	A&N Island	0	0	0	0		0		0
	<b>Total</b>	<b>834942</b>	<b>137343</b>	<b>855398</b>	<b>141045</b>	<b>862267</b>	<b>142421</b>	<b>862267</b>	<b>142421</b>

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**Annexure-II****Annexure-II referred to in reply to part (b) of the Lok Sabha Provisional Unstarred Question No. 3504 for answer on 21.12.2015****State Wise amount of employment assistance to spinners and weavers under Khadi for last three years**

Sl. No.	States /UT	2012-13		2013-14		2014-15		2015-16*	
		Spinners	Weavers	Spinners	Weavers	Spinners	Weavers	Spinners	Weavers
1	Jammu & Kashmir	176.76	212.37	180.76	217.17	249.42	292.76	173.41	201.03
2	Himachal Pradesh	74.46	89.46	76.14	91.48	78.76	92.45	54.76	63.48
3	Punjab	263.10	316.10	269.04	323.24	278.34	326.70	193.51	224.33
4	Chandigarh	0.09	0.11	0.09	0.11	0.11	0.12	0.08	0.08
5	Haryana	990.03	1189.46	1012.40	1216.34	1075.38	1262.24	747.64	866.74
6	Delhi	51.20	61.51	52.35	62.90	54.33	63.77	37.77	43.79
7	Rajasthan	844.58	1014.71	863.66	1037.64	896.46	1052.24	623.25	722.54
8	Uttarakhand	310.72	373.31	317.74	381.74	330.31	387.71	229.64	266.23
9	Uttar Pradesh	3279.11	3939.66	3353.22	4028.69	3529.33	4144.91	2453.71	2846.18
10	Chhattisgarh	269.74	324.08	275.84	331.40	286.17	335.90	198.95	230.65
11	Madhya Pradesh	155.58	186.92	159.09	191.14	164.80	193.44	114.57	132.83
12	Sikkim	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
13	Arunachal Pradesh	1.92	2.30	1.96	2.35	2.12	2.49	1.47	1.71
14	Nagaland	11.51	13.83	11.77	14.14	12.20	14.32	8.48	9.83
15	Manipur	15.54	18.68	15.90	19.10	16.70	19.61	11.61	13.47
16	Mizoram	0.25	0.29	0.25	0.30	0.28	0.33	0.19	0.23
17	Tripura	0.26	0.31	0.26	0.32	0.30	0.35	0.21	0.24
18	Meghalaya	0.49	0.59	0.50	0.60	0.55	0.64	0.38	0.44
19	Assam	140.35	168.62	143.52	172.43	151.20	177.48	105.12	121.87
20	Bihar	234.29	281.49	239.59	287.85	249.63	293.01	173.55	201.20
21	West Bengal	1393.58	1674.30	1425.07	1712.14	1516.79	1780.36	1054.52	1222.52
22	Jharkhand	82.02	98.54	83.88	100.77	87.85	103.12	61.08	70.81
23	Odisha	102.12	122.69	104.42	125.46	108.39	127.22	75.36	87.36
25	Gujarat [incl. D&D]	726.43	872.77	742.85	892.49	827.19	970.93	575.09	666.71
26	Maharashtra[incl. D&NH]	90.79	109.08	92.84	111.54	96.67	113.47	67.21	77.92
27	Goa	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
28	Andhra Pradesh	493.27	592.64	504.42	606.03	396.00	464.81	275.31	319.17
29	Telangana	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	141.86	166.51	98.63	114.34
31	Karnataka	651.68	782.95	666.41	800.65	717.97	842.73	499.16	578.68
32	Kerala	435.30	522.99	445.14	534.81	468.69	550.13	325.85	377.76
33	Tamil Nadu	1308.86	1572.52	1338.44	1608.06	1419.47	1666.13	986.86	1144.08
34	Pondicherry	0.11	0.14	0.12	0.14	0.12	0.14	0.08	0.10
	<b>Total</b>	<b>12104.14</b>	<b>14542.42</b>	<b>12377.67</b>	<b>14871.03</b>	<b>13157.39</b>	<b>15446.02</b>	<b>9147.46</b>	<b>10606.28</b>

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**Annexure-III**

**Annexure-III referred to in reply to part (c)&(d) of the Lok Sabha Provisional Unstarred Question No. 3504 for answer on 21.12.2015**

**State-wise number of Khadi artisans covered under AABY/JBY**

Sl. No.	State/UT	2012-13	2013-14	2014-15	2015-16* [1.8.2015 to 30.11.2015]
1.	Jammu & Kashmir	8025	3814	3814	-
2.	Himachal Pradesh	1134	1194	1194	400
3.	Punjab	4343	4777	4777	-
4.	Chandigarh	0	0	0	0
5.	Haryana	29133	29438	29438	10933
6.	Delhi	873	926	926	-
7.	Rajasthan	18512	16959	16959	3228
8.	Uttarakhand	11632	10310	10310	6660
9.	Uttar Pradesh	117182	123064	127767	135130
10.	Chhattisgarh	3009	2305	2339	-
11.	Madhya Pradesh	1433	1315	1315	1009
12.	Sikkim	0	0	0	0
13.	Arunachal Pradesh	25	18	18	-
14.	Nagaland	180	180	180	-
15.	Manipur	56	71	71	102
16.	Mizoram	0	0	0	0
17.	Tripura	0	0	0	0
18.	Meghalaya	16	16	16	29
19.	Assam	3597	3973	3973	3785
20.	Bihar	6252	6736	6736	2046
21.	West Bengal	19232	22133	23517	-
22.	Jharkhand	1614	1340	1588	603
23.	Odisha	2912	2817	2817	2264
24.	Andaman & Nicobar Isl.	0	0	0	0
25.	Gujarat incl. Daman & Diu	9712	10314	10314	9545
26.	Maharashtra incl. D&NH	967	868	950	789
27.	Goa	0	0	0	0
28.	Andhra Pradesh & Telangana	7668	7802	7802	85
29.	Karnataka	14023	14562	15634	-
30.	Lakshadweep	0	0	0	0
31.	Kerala	9066	8792	9760	4464
32.	Tamil Nadu	10147	10332	10332	10192
33.	Puducherry	0	0	0	0
	<b>Total</b>	<b>280743</b>	<b>284056</b>	<b>292547</b>	<b>191264</b>

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