

## Ministry of Textiles

### Monthly Summary to the Cabinet for the Month of July, 2021

#### 1. Policy Decisions:

- The Union Government has given its approval on 14<sup>th</sup> July, 2021 for continuation of RoSCTL scheme from 1<sup>st</sup> January, 2021 to 31<sup>st</sup> March, 2024 with the same rate.
- Central Level Selection Committee for finalizing handicrafts award 2018 was held on 22.07.2021 under the Chairmanship of Secretary (Textiles)
- The modified Draft Cabinet note for setting up of Seven (7) Mega Integrated Textile Regions and Parks (MITRAs) has been sent to Cabinet on 27<sup>th</sup> July, 2021 for seeking approval.
- Draft EFC Memorandum for continuation of IPDS for next five years circulated.
- The Central Wool Development Board (CWDB) finalized the action points for welfare of wool growers/ shepherds according to new Wool Sector Scheme i.e. Integrated Wool Development programme (IWDP) for implementation during FY 2021-22 to 2025-26.

#### 2. Important Achievements:

- i. **Samarth:** A meeting of Empowered Committee (EC) under Samarth Scheme for Capacity Building in Textile Sector under the chairpersonship of Secretary (Textiles) was held at 15:30 hrs. on 30.07.2021
- ii. **Cotton:** All India arrivals of seed cotton (kapas) during the month of July, 2021 were 3.52 lakh bales. Since, the price of cotton in Market is ruling above MSP, Cotton Corporation of India (CCI) has not procured kapas under MSP operations during July, 2021.
- iii. **SITP** The modified Draft Cabinet note for setting up of Seven (7) Mega Integrated Textile Regions and Parks (MITRAs) has been sent to Cabinet on 27<sup>th</sup> July, 2021 for seeking approval.

- iv. **Handicrafts:** Central Level Selection Committee for finalizing handicrafts award 2018 was held on 22.07.2021 Under the Chairmanship of Secretary (Textiles).
- v. **Powerloom:** The number of looms upgraded during July, 2021, is 523 for subsidy of Rs. 76.96 lakhs.
- vi. **Handlooms:** The National Handloom Development Corporation (NHDC) organised A 5 days exhibition of exclusive handloom products by Handloom Producer companies at Aga Khan Hall, Bhagwan Das Marg, New Delhi, from 21 to 25 July 2021.

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