

### To Establish an Industry

697. **Sh. Sita Ram Yadav, M.L.A** : Will the Deputy Chief Minister be pleased to state whether there is any policy under consideration of the Government to establish an Industry in every block in State; if so, the time by which the above said proposal is likely to be materialized?

**Reply : Dushyant Chautala, Deputy Chief Minister, Haryana.**

Yes, Sir.

Haryana Government has launched a scheme on 23<sup>rd</sup> of February 2022 to establish industrial clusters specific to every block in the State under the Programme to Accelerate Development for MSME Advancement (PADMA). The programme aims to encourage holistic socio-economic development across Haryana and empower the state's youth to set up new enterprises by providing them opportunities to grow and be a part of the formal economy. The objective of this programme is to design and implement developmental interventions focused on micro and small enterprises at block level, leverage the industrial cluster approach and give a thrust to sustainable employment and entrepreneurship opportunities as well as promote balanced regional growth. With this intent, one product each in 140 blocks of all districts in the State has been identified based on the locally available resources, existing MSME ecosystem, stakeholder consultations, raw material availability, demographic profile and growth potential to create sustainable and cost-effective clusters. At each of these blocks, one new mini-industrial cluster focused on the selected 'product' shall be developed by the Government. It is envisaged that each cluster shall constitute several new MSMEs, along with Common facility Centres (CFCs) and Business Development Service (BDS) hubs. The PADMA scheme shall be implemented over a period of five years. The development of each block shall be taken up in a phased manner so that proper focus is laid on fostering a vibrant industrial ecosystem in each block.