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**Sub: Technology Upgradation Fund Scheme (TUFS).**

**1. Co-option of additional banks / financial institutions by Nodal Agencies.**

(A) Industrial Development Bank of India (IDBI), the nodal agency (NA) for textile industry (Non-SSI) under Technology Upgradation Fund Scheme, vide letter No. IDBI.HO.TUFS(6) dated.08-05-2003 and 14-05-2003 has co-opted the following banks for Non-SSI Textile Sector under TUFS.

i) Allahabad Bank

ii) The Shamrao Vithal Co-operative Bank Ltd.

iii) Bombay Mercantile Co-operative Bank Ltd.

(B) Small Industries Development Bank of India (SIDBI), the nodal agency (NA) for SSI textile sector under Technology Upgradation Fund Scheme, vide letter No. DFID/RTUF dated.14-07-2003 has co-opted The Surat District Co-operative Bank Ltd. for SSI textile sector under the TUF Scheme.

**2. Decisions taken by Technical Advisory-cum-Monitoring Committee (TAMC) in its 21<sup>st</sup> meeting held at Mumbai on 6<sup>th</sup> Aug., 2003.**

**(i) Inclusion of machinery for wool combing.**

Baling press for wool combing has been included in Annex – B (b) of the G.R. on TUFS as follows:

Annx-B(b)13- Baling Press for wool combing.

**(ii) Inclusion of Computerized Strap (Collar/Cuff) Flat Bed Knitting Machine.**

Computerized Strap (Collar/Cuff) Flat Bed Knitting Machine has been included in Annex – D-1 and Annex – E of the G.R. on TUFS as follows:

1. Annex-D-1 (c) 8 - Computerized Strap (Collar/Cuff) Flat Bed Knitting Machine.
2. Annex-E (a) 68 - Computerized Strap (Collar/Cuff) Flat Bed Knitting Machine

**(iii) Inclusion of Back coating lines.**

Back Coating Lines for carpets backing, non-woven textiles & technical textiles have been included in Annex – D-2 of the G.R. on TUFS as follows:

1. Annex- D 2 (d) 9 – Back Coating Lines
2. Annex- D 2 (f) - Non-woven C 16 - Back Coating Lines

**(iv) Additional machinery for Readymade Garment sector.**

Cup seamer has been included in Annex – E (a) of the G.R. on TUFS as follows.

Annex E(a) 69 – Cup seamer.

**(v) Inclusion of Dipping unit for Indl./Technical Textiles.**

Dipping unit has been included in Annex – F-1 & F-2 of the G.R. on TUFS as follows.

1. Annex-F-1 (b) (III) 18 – Dipping Unit
2. Annex-F-2 (b) (III) 11 - Dipping Unit

**(vi) Removal of the minimum speed stipulation for new high speed circular knitting machines.**

Minimum speed stipulation for new high speed circular knitting machine has been removed and the entry in Annex – D-1 c. 1 of the G.R. on TUFS has been amended as follows.

Annex D-1-c. 1 : High speed circular knitting machine. For permissible second hand reconditioned circular knitting machine, minimum speed should be of 20 revolutions per minute.

This amendment is effective from 21.01.2003, the date from which minimum speed stipulation was made effective for the circular knitting machine in the GR on TUFS.

The above modifications may please be brought to the notice of all concerned.

(Smt Shashi Singh)  
(Director)

To: -

1. Secretaries (Textiles) of all states
2. All PLIs of IDBI and SIDBI
3. To all Major Textile Industry Associations/ Trade Associations/All India Industry Associations/Chambers of Commerce & Industry.
4. Officer Incharge of all Regional office of the Textile Commissioner,
5. Secretary, Textiles Committee, Mumbai
6. Officer Incharge of all Powerloom Service Centers,
7. The Directors of all TRAs
8. Executive Directors of all EPCs
9. Development Commissioner (Handlooms)
10. Development Commissioner (Handicrafts)
11. Jute Commissioner
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13. Director General , NIFT

14. Prominent News Agencies.

With a request to bring the above message to the notice of all concerned, by publishing / covering the above amendments/modifications in the TUFS, in the news papers/ periodicals / magazines etc

**Copy for information to:**

1. All members of IMSC & TAMC.
2. Shri Atul Chaturvedi, Joint Secretary, Ministry of Textiles, New Delhi - 11
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