INDUSTRIAL INVESTMENT INTENTIONS IN THE LICENSABLE AND DELICENSED SECTORS - THE STATUS AS ON May 2018.

**Industrial Entrepreneurs Memoranda (IEMs)**

During the month of May 2018, 157 IEMs had been filed with proposed investment of `49043 crore as against 182 IEMs with `17,180 crore during May 2017.

Of these, Punjab with proposed investment of `17501 crore, Gujarat with proposed investment of `13138 crore and Maharashtra with proposed investment of `4619 crore are the leading States during the month.

Investment intentions reflect preference for Chemical (Other than fertilisers), Electrical Equipment, and Textile with proposed investment of `27399 crore (55.87%) `3972 (8.10%) and `3927 (8.01%) respectively.

**Implementation of IEMs**

During the month of May 2018, entrepreneurs have reported implementation of projects relating to 106 IEMs (by way of filing 'IEM - Part B' for reporting of commencement of commercial production) with investment of `18801 crore as compared to implementation of 35 IEMs during May 2017 with investment of `9118 crore.

During the year from January 2018 to May 2018, entrepreneurs have reported implementation of projects relating to 389 IEMs (by way of filing 'IEM - Part B' for reporting of commencement of commercial production) with proposed investment of `80140 crore as compared to 204 IEMs during the corresponding period in 2017 with investment of `30,304 crore.

Since the inception of filing of IEM in 1991 till the end of May 2018, entrepreneurs have reported implementation of projects relating to total number of 12897 IEMs with investment of `944837 crore.

**Industrial Licences (DILs)**

As a measure of simplification of procedures, the Department is granting Industrial Licences directly since May, 2003, for all applications, except for those items which were exclusively reserved for Small Scale Industries. During May 2018, no DILs has been issued.

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