



THE TEXTILE ASSOCIATION (INDIA) AHMEDABAD UNIT

NEWSLETTER

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22nd December 2025 – 6th January 2026

Under the members welfare activity every year The Textile association (India) Ahmedabad Unit is distributing groundnut oil tins to the needy members with 30-35% subsidy on its market price. This year, total 3318 groundnut oil tins were distributed among the members.



24th December 2025

Under the society welfare activities the Association distributed nutrition kits to the pregnant women in the Ahmedabad (E) area who are suffering from malnutrition during the pregnancy period. Around 147 kits distributed on 24th December and 53 kits on 25th January 2026.

23rd January 2026

The all members of The Textile Association (India) Ahmedabad have enthusiastically welcomed the recent amendments made in the new Textile Policy 2024, implemented by the Gujarat Government with a view to the all-round development of the textile industry. A brief program was organised to apprise all members about the new amendments in the Gujarat Textile Policy 2024. The event was followed by a press conference.

A press conference was organized by The Textile Association (India) Ahmedabad Unit at meeting room of Dinesh Hall regarding these reforms. In the press conference, Textile Association's Chairman, Dr. Ashwin Thakkar said that the

government's decision to allow non-polluting units in metropolitan areas is historic. This step will benefit small and medium-sized units under various government assistance schemes and will give a new direction and momentum to the state's textile industry.

On this occasion, Trustee of the Association Shri T. L. Patel welcomed the government's decision and said that now that units operating in metropolitan cities are legally recognized, the operators will get many practical benefits. The obstacles in the operation of the units will be removed and the industry will get great benefits from various incentives like capital subsidy, interest subsidy on loans and power tariff subsidy. These reforms made by the government have increased the confidence of the traders and will provide stability to the industry.

It is worth mentioning that according to the new amendments made by the Gujarat government in the Textile Policy-2024, now non-polluting units will be allowed in metropolitan areas as well, so that they can get the benefit of various incentives provided by the government. Along with this, self-help groups run by women and single groups have also been covered under the benefit of all types of incentive assistance.

It was also said that women play an important role in the textile industry, especially in the garment industry. For this reason, through these reforms, the government's approach to women is not just as a beneficiary but as an economic partner. It is also hoped that these reforms will give a new inputs to women's empowerment. The members expressed the hope that all these reforms will open new doors of development for the textile and garment industry of Gujarat.



ગુજરાત ટેક્સટાઇલ પોલિસી-૨૦૨૪નાં તા.૧૫/૧૦/૨૦૨૪નાં ઠરાવનાં પેરા નં. ૩.૧૭, ૩.૧૯ તથા ૫.૫.૨(a) માં નીચેનાં કોષ્ટક મુજબ મુળ જોગવાઈ સામે તેની સુચિત સુધારા જોગવાઈ દર્શાવેલ છે.

પેરા નં.	મુળ જોગવાઈ	સુચિત સુધારા જોગવાઈ
3.17	<p>Category-wise classification of talukas will be as per the Industries and Mines Department GR MIS-102020-347965-I dated 2/11/2020.</p> <p>If a project is located within the geographical limit of more than one taluka, then the taluka in which the project has the largest percentage of land area will be considered as the eligible category of taluka under the Policy.</p> <p><u>An Industrial Undertaking located within the limit of Municipal Corporation (notified as on date) will not be eligible for incentives under the Policy.</u></p>	<p>Category-wise classification of talukas will be as per the Industries and Mines Department GR MIS-102020-347965-I dated 2/11/2020.</p> <p>If a project is located within the geographical limit of more than one taluka, then the taluka in which the project has the largest percentage of land area will be considered as the eligible category of taluka under the Policy.</p> <p><u>Only those industrial undertakings located within the limits of a Municipal Corporation (as notified on date) and engaged in eligible non-polluting activities such as garment, apparel and made-ups, stitching, embroidery, and other activities falling under the Green/White category or its equivalent categories, as defined and amended from time to time by the GPCB, can be considered eligible for incentives under the</u></p>
		<u>policy.</u>
3.19	<p>Self Help Group means Group of SHGs duly registered with NRLM/NULM or any voluntarily group of at least 25 women with mutual agreement to contribute to a common cause of the group and is self-governed and forms an association of people hailing from similar socio-economic background with the objective to collectively fulfill the common purpose to improve the livelihood conditions.</p>	<p>Self Help Group means SHG or Group of SHGs duly registered with NRLM/NULM or any voluntarily group of at least 25 women with mutual agreement to contribute to a common cause of the group and is self-governed and forms an association of people hailing from similar socio-economic background with the objective to collectively fulfill the common purpose to improve the livelihood conditions</p>
5.5.2(a)	<p>SHG having 25 or more women will be eligible for assistance.</p>	<p>SHG As per definition mentioned in para 3.19 will be eligible for assistance.</p>

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Gujarat Textile Policy 2024 encourages women-led textile enterprises

The recent amendments announced by the Gujarat Government to the Textile Policy 2024 have come at a time when the textile and garment sector is looking for stability, support, and long-term growth. Industry members believe these changes reflect a practical understanding of ground realities and the needs of small and medium units that form the backbone of Gujarat's textile economy. Gujarat has long been one of India's leading textile states, contributing significantly to employment, exports, and value-added manufacturing, and policy support has always played a key role in this progress.

The press conference organized by the Textile Association, Ahmedabad, at Girnar Hall highlighted how these amendments address long-pending demands of industry players. One of the most important decisions is allowing non-polluting textile units to operate in metropolitan areas. For many years, several small and medium units functioning in urban areas had faced legal and operational challenges due to zoning restrictions. These units often lacked formal approvals, which made it difficult for them to expand, modernize, or access government schemes. With this new decision, such units can now work with legal clarity and confidence.

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India's textile recycling market is projected to reach USD 3.5 bn by 2030 and likely to add 1 lakh jobs

Textiles Minister Giriraj Singh said that India's textile sector, one of the largest in the world has significant potential to lead the global transition towards sustainable and circular production systems. India's textile recycling market could reach USD 3.5 billion by 2030, with the potential to generate around one lakh green jobs, according to a report released on Tuesday by Union Textiles Minister Giriraj Singh.

The report titled "Mapping of Textile Waste Value Chain in India" provides a comprehensive assessment of textile waste generation, recovery pathways, recycling technologies and opportunities to strengthen circularity across India's textile value chain. The minister said that India's textile sector, one of the largest in the world, has significant potential to lead the global transition towards sustainable and circular production systems.

He stated that India's textile industry continues to expand rapidly, and it is important that this growth is aligned with sustainability goals. The study report maps both pre-consumer and post-consumer textile waste streams, identifies recycling practices across clusters, documents emerging technologies and outlines policy recommendations to strengthen India's circular textile ecosystem. It estimates that India generates approximately 70.73 lakh tonnes of textile waste annually. Of this, 42 per cent originates from pre-consumer sources such as manufacturing waste, while 58 per cent arises from post-consumer disposal. Cluster analysis shows that Panipat is emerging as a major hub for mechanical textile recycling, with waste from several textile clusters transported there for processing. The report notes that developing recycling infrastructure at the cluster level across textile hubs could significantly improve efficiency and enable recycling closer to the source of waste generation. According to the report, more than 70 per cent of the total textile waste is currently recovered and routed into recycling, upcycling, down cycling or reuse streams. The findings further indicate that around 95 per cent of pre-consumer textile waste is recovered, reflecting the strength of recovery networks across the value chain.

31st January 2026

The Textile Association (India) Ahmedabad Unit arranged a natak/drama in collaboration with the Ahmedabad Municipal Corporation Primary Education Committee, Ahmedabad on “*Mobile Melo Maidan ma Khelo*” for the primary children of corporation schools. The producer of the said natak is Shri Prashantbhai Barod (CHANDRAKALA). It's an awareness program among the children who are maximum missusing the mobile in their teenage. Every Saturday from 9am – 12noon the natak plays at Dinesh hall auditorium of the textile association. As a refreshment, a drinking water bottle and a packet of biscuit are being provided by the Association for every student after the every show.



ANNOUNCEMENT



THE TEXTILE ASSOCIATION (INDIA) AHMEDABAD UNIT

**Will be hosting
79th All India Textile Conference (AITC)**

**In the month of November 2026
at Ahmedabad**

**Details about the conference
will be shared shortly**