

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
SMALL SCALE INDUSTRIES
LOK SABHA**

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SMALL ENTREPRENEURS CREDIT CARD SCHEME
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Will the Minister of SMALL SCALE INDUSTRIES be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of Small Entrepreneurs Credit Card Scheme and other new schemes launched during the years 2002 and 2003;
- (b) the State-wise details of status of implementation of the aforesaid schemes; and
- (c) the State-wise number of beneficiaries of the said schemes?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE FOR SMALL SCALE INDUSTRIES AND DEVELOPMENT OF NORTH-EASTERN REGION (SHRI SKDAR)

(a): Laghu Udhyaami Credit Card (LUCC) Scheme evolved by the Indian Banks; Association (IBA) was launched during the year 2001-02. Under the Scheme, the borrowers including Small Scale Industrial (SSI) units, enjoying credit limit upto Rs. 2 lakhs with satisfactory dealings with banks for the last three years are provided with credit limits. No other new scheme has been launched for SSIs during the years 2002 and 2003.

(b) & (c): IBA does not maintain the State-wise details of SS units benefited under LUCC Scheme. However, the details of borrower accounts covered and limit sanctioned by the public sector banks under the LUCC Scheme since inception are given in the Annexure.