

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY
LOK SABHA**

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FOOTWEAR PARKS
Sugavanam Shri E.G.

Will the Minister of COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of component and footwear parks in the country at present, location-wise;
- (b) whether the Government propose to set up more parks in the country especially in Chennai;
- (c) if so, the details thereof and the amount allocated for the same; and
- (d) the time by which these are likely to be set up?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE & INDUSTRY (SHRI E.V.K.S. ELANGO VAN)

(a): None.

(b) : Yes, Sir.

(c) & (d): Government of India is currently implementing the Infrastructure Strengthening of Leather Sector Scheme with an outlay of Rs. 110 crore during the 10th Five Year Plan period which inter-alia includes the setting up of leather footwear and component parks, including in Chennai as also other activities.