

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES  
DEPARTMENT OF HEAVY INDUSTRY

**RAJYA SABHA**  
**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.2883**  
**TO BE ANSWERED ON 18.12.2014**

**Revival of HMT units**

2883. SHRI MOHD. ALI KHAN:

Will the Minister of HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of HMT units in the country;
- (b) the number of HMT units being operated/closed so far;
- (c) the VRS provided to these employees so far; and
- (d) the steps being taken to revive HMT units in future?

**ANSWER**

**MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES (SHRI G.M. SIDDESHWARA)**

(a): There are 17 HMT units in India. Details of location-wise units of HMT Ltd. (Holding Company) and its subsidiaries are as follows:

<b>Name of the Company</b>	<b>No. of Units</b>	<b>Location of Units</b>
HMT Ltd.	3	1. Pinjore 2. Hyderabad 3. Aurangabad
HMT Machine Tools Ltd.	6	1. Pinjore 2. Kalamassery 3. Hyderabad 4. Ajmer 5. Two units at Bangalore
HMT Watches Ltd.	4	1. Two units at Bangalore 2. Tumkur 3. Ranibagh
HMT Chinar Watches Ltd.	2	1. Jammu 2. Srinagar
HMT Bearings Ltd.	1	1. Hyderabad
HMT International Ltd.	1	1. Bangalore

(b): The above units are in operation and none of these units are closed.

(c): The details of budgetary support provided for VRS/VSS to the employees of above mentioned units from the year 2004-05 to 2013-14 are as follows:

<b>Name of the Company</b>	<b>Amount paid (Rs in crore)</b>	<b>Employees given VRS</b>
HMT Ltd.	5.13	51
HMT Machine Tools Ltd.	46.81	436
HMT Watches Ltd.	103.43	675
HMT Chinar Watches Ltd.	83.68	586
HMT Bearings Ltd.	10.00	104
HMT International Ltd.	-	2

A VRS proposal for employees of HMT Watches Ltd., HMT Chinar Watches Ltd. and HMT Bearings Ltd. has also been prepared for approval of CCEA

(d): A revival proposal has been approved by CCEA for HMT Ltd. in April 2013 and for HMT Machine Tools Ltd. in Feb., 2014.

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