Itmf presents 'Sustainability and Innovation' & 'International Cooperation' awards

By Mohit Sharma

DAVOS, SEPT 22—

The International Textile Mills Federation for the first time presented ITMF Awards during its Annual Conference 2022 which concluded in Davos, Switzerland, this week. The conference was co-hosted by Swiss Textiles and Swiss Textile Machinery. The ITMF Awards 2022 were granted in two categories, namely “Sustainability & Innovation” and “International Cooperation”.

The objective of the ITMF Sustainability & Innovation Award is to recognize sustainable and innovative achievements in the textile sector. The award presented ITMF Sustainability & Innovation Award to India ITME Society, located in Bhubaneswar in Odisha’s Gajapati district. The award included a nomadic rug presented to the following companies and organizations from different regions from around the world (alphabetical order):

1. Cathay Biotech Inc., with Donghua University (China)
2. Far Eastern New Century Corporation, Chinese Taipei
3. Gama Recycle Sustainable Technologies Inc. (Türkiye)
4. Grupo Malwee, Brazil
5. Lenzing AG (Austria)
6. Mahmood Group (Pakistan)
7. PSG College of Technology (India)
8. Recover—Circular Fashion for All (Spain)
9. Säntis Textiles (Singapore) & Kipas Textiles (Türkiye)
10. Sedo Engineering (Switzerland)

The objective of the ITMF International Cooperation Award is to recognize progress in the area of international collaboration in the textile industry according to the values of the 17 Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) of the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development.

In 2022, the ITMF International Cooperation Award was presented to the following companies and organizations from different regions from around the world (alphabetical order):

1. Bossa (Türkiye)
2. Coloro (China)
3. Ekoten Tekstil & Smartex.ai (Türkiye)
4. Euratex (Belgium)
5. Gama Recycle Sustainable Technologies Inc. (Türkiye)
6. STAR-NETWORK
7. Texfor (Spain)
8. Wiser Global (Türkiye)

India ITME & KNCCI sign MoU to promote bilateral trade

By Our Staff Reporter

MUMBAI, SEPT 22—

India ITME Society has signed a Memorandum of Understandings (MoU) with Kenya National Chamber of Commerce and Industry to establish foundation to support and promote increased bilateral trade and investment in Textile and Textile Engineering Industry from India.

The MoU was signed Mr. Hari Shankar, Chairman India ITME Society and Mr. Richard Ngatia, Chamber President, The Kenya National Chamber of Commerce & Industry.

During the MoU signing ceremony, Mr. Hari Shankar formally extended an invitation to India ITME 2022 in December to “Explore the Soul of Textiles”.

Mr. Hari Shankar also encouraged an official delegation from Kenya, that could mark a beginning of a stronger Bilateral trade & Investment activities in Textile Sector between India & Kenya.

Mr. Richard Ngatia stated that it is an opportunity which needs to be taken seriously and tapped for mutual benefit of both nations.

It may be noted here that India ITME Society had last week organized “India Networking Programme” at Nairobi, Kenya to promote the 11th edition of India ITME which is to be held in India Exposition Mart Limited, Greater Noida, U.P. from 8th – 11th September.

Tribal women weave Tibetan carpet for living

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The ancient hand-woven Tibetan rug is no longer a monopoly business among the community who are settled in Odisha’s Gajapati district.

Several women from the indigenous Saora community, particularly vulnerable tribal group (VPTG) – have started the art of weaving from March–June. After the skill development training, the Saora women have started to weave the carpets on their own at Manikapur village of Mohana block, around 250 km southwest of Bhubaneswar.

The craft dates back to hundreds of years ago and was practiced by the nomad community in Tibet. The technique of the rug is different from the Persian or the Turkish methods. The hand-woven rug is traditionally made from the wool of sheep, but cotton warps are common nowadays. It can be used on floors, wall hanging, saddles and seating carpet.

The woolen carpets are decorated with the designs of birds, dragons and other scenes of nature and sell from Rs 5,000–25,000 per piece.

The Soura Development Agency, which works for the development of the VPTG, had facilitated the tribal women to take the training on making of carpets for living.
Agricultural and textile products are described with prices and specifications in various formats, including basic prices, GST extra, and floor prices. There's a mention of a recycles PSF, and other specifications like counts, staple length, and microns. Additionally, there's a section on cotton yarn prices, providing details on various qualities and corresponding prices in Rs. per Kg. for different years.
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MUMBAL, SEPT. 22—Fashion industry technology leader, TuKatach, is known for offering affordable technologies to the fashion industry. GP800 is the general purpose automatic fabric cutter with ability to cut up to 8 cottons or cotton composites, automotive seating fabrics and others. The fabric cutting machine comes loaded with a powerful buffer, as well as a path optimization that results in 2.2-2.5% savings compared to other cutting machines and helps to improve productivity.

Ram Sareen, Founder of TuKatach, explains that he chose to develop this automation due to the unaffordable service contracts, enabling even the smallest manufacturer to compete.

"The GP800 model has the same quality of workmanship and service we have been offering since 1985 with our previous cutting machine, TuKatach, Fiber Factory, FK Group;" explains Sareen. TuKatach was designed to give more control and efficiency to the cutting machinists in Italy in 1985, with many of the machines installed in the US, Mexico, Canada, and India at that time are still running. TuKatach’s customer service is very versatile, with the ability to ensure seamless service support worldwide through the TuKatach network.

Ram Sareen said, "These machines are designed to ensure that they can be worked by anyone with the minimum training in cut-shop production. They come with a user-friendly control panel and can be operated by anyone with minimal training. The machines are designed to be used in a variety of industries, including fashion, automotive, and aerospace, and can be adapted to suit specific needs.

The TuKatach GP800 is versatile and can be used in a variety of cutting applications, making it a valuable tool for manufacturers and cut-shop operators.

Tukatech Launches GP800 High-Ply Automatic Fabric Cutter at $99,000

 Worth to want to make sure India-UK FTA is first step in continually evolving trade: UK Foreign Secretary

Prime Minister Narendra Modi has set a very ambitious desire to make India-UK Free Trade Agreement (FTA), as part of his new British counterpart Liz Truss wants her administration to make sure that the speed was visible. The Indian leader, UK Foreign Secretary James Cleverly has said. Cleverly said that the bilateral relationship between India and the UK is longstanding and wide-ranging, which is both a “huge plus” but it also means that “quite undoubtedly there is a desire to have a very, very wide-ranging, meaningful free trade agreement.”

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TuKatach is to continue to improve the TUK-Acute range of machines for linen, denim, composites, automotive seating fabrics and others. The GP800 can cut many different packages which are available. The machines are designed to ensure that the productivity is at least 20 percent higher than other models on the market, and the energy cost is 50% to 70%, lower which helps tremendously for users in countries where energy cost is a major consideration.

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Kenya delegation to visit India-ITME to explore textile machinery imports

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India’s success in popularising digital payment proves sceptics wrong: FM

by Cotton Man

MUMBAI, SEPTEMBER 22

The cotton prices in the northern markets firm up today while a easy trend was witnessed in central and southern markets.

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The market is driven by the imports of Man-Made fibers having a share of more than 97% in total fiber imports having recorded worth US$ 73.3 Mn in FY2021. With a strong taste for fashion, the country is now expanding the end product i.e. garments. From the preliminary look, the country is having an excellent textile background with few missing lines where India & Kenya may have a role.

In Kenya imports most of its textile engineering and technology requirements. Its imports were highest in FY2018 recording worth US$ 41.8Mm where spinning machinery was the highest, recording a share of more than 3% of purchases followed by weaving and processing machinery.

The imports of US$ 18.5 Mm in FY2022 showed more inclination towards import of gauze (35% share and processing machinery, having a share of 31% and spinning machinery one of the prominent sector accounted for 29%)

Majority of the machines around 44% were imported from China. India is the second highest exporter of textile machinery and took 29% showing the strong presence of India in the Kenya market.

About India ITME 2022:

India-ITME 2022 is expected to host more than 1500 exhibitors from Austria, Belgium, China, Czech Republic, France, Hong Kong, Hungary, India, Indonesia, Italy, Japan, Korea, Spain, Switzerland, Taiwan, Turkey, United Kingdom, United States of America in 22 Chapters with over 1,500 visitors in every day.

This is a once in 4-year opportunity to view live machineries from across the world on display from 22 Chapters & meet Agents, Government Officials, and businessmen making India-ITME 2022 the apex B2B event in the textile & Textile Engineering Industry in the whole of South East Asian region.

Women weave Tibetan carpet for living

At the same time, the traditional hand weaving unit will start functioning at Jangalathur, Nilakul and surrounding areas soon with around 14 Soura women.

The Saoras, Rayagada, and Koraput districts mainly. According to the 2011 census, their population is 3.5 lakhs in the state. The main objective of the project is to provide livelihood and support to the tribal women.

JCPenney introduces Frye and Co. to its expanding fashion portfolio

From Tecnoy NewDevk.

MUMBAI, SEP 22

Last week, JCPenney launched Frye and Co., a western American collection of boots, shoes, and accessories.

Frye and Co. delivers products that are authentically made with the JCPenney consumer in mind, offering distinctive style and classic silhouettes for men and women.

Frye and Co. elevates the nation’s fashion portfolio of fashion brands and offers fresh designs for trend seekers and lovers of westem-inspired style, all while paying homage to the heritage and nameake brand. In addition to boots and bags, Frye and Co. offers a lifestyle collection that embraces the brand’s core DNA of craftsmanship, quality and authenticity.

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The successful implementation of digital payment systems in India has proved the naysayers wrong, Union Finance Minister Nirmala Sitharaman has said.

"Speaking on 20 years of Modi government before a gathering of BIP workers here on Thursday, the credited Prime Minister Narendra Modi's approach to governance and his focus for the country," Sitharaman said.

"During the lockdown induced by the COVID-19 pandemic, people received money in their bank accounts and people's panic button, she said.

"If they could not go to the bank, and knew that she was at the road or running through it, Frye and Co. provides timeless synthesises, sophisticated details and contemporary styles for men and women. Boots are available in sizes ranging from 11 and men's sizes 7 to 13.

"The assortment also includes shapka jackets, boho midi dresses, fair isle sweaters, denim, pants and more.

"We do not know any of them. They are picked from the remote villages, from the corners of the country. They are great achievement but we did not have the time to recognise them. We did not know how to locate them. But Modi's team located them. We have no one to thank to them.

"Delivery is the story", the minister added. "It was Modi's approach to governance which starts with "trust our people, trust our industry, trust our woman, trust on factories," that made the difference, Sitharaman said.

"We had a few years ago, a UPA government. They had a few initiatives to push for this. But the main difference is we pushed the multi-tribe, multi-language, multi-trade electrical, electronic payments as "pay, comfortable and trust" which is a dying art form among the young Tibetans, while they will be kept alive among the tribal areas.

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