

SFURTI

Scheme of Fund for Regeneration of Traditional Industries — Ministry of MSME, Govt. of India (since 2005)

₹2.5 Cr

Regular Clusters

up to 500 artisans

₹5 Cr

Major Clusters

500+ artisans

₹8 Cr

Heritage / Mega

1,000–2,500 artisans

KEY OBJECTIVES

- Organize artisans into productive, competitive clusters
- Create sustained rural employment
- Upgrade skills, design & market access incl. e-commerce

ELIGIBILITY

Implementing Agencies

- NGOs, govt / semi-govt bodies, PRIs
- Corporates & CSR foundations
- Private entities via cluster SPVs

Cluster Criteria

- 500+ artisan families/district (100–250 in hilly/NER)
- Sectors: Khadi, Coir, Village Ind., Handlooms, Handicrafts

FUNDING INTERVENTIONS

- Soft (up to ₹25L): training, design, buyer-seller meets
- Hard: Common Facility Centre, raw material bank, tech upgrade
- Thematic: branding, e-commerce, global marketing

DOCUMENTS REQUIRED

- Detailed Project Report (DPR)
- Entity registration certificate
- SPV registration + board details
- Audited financials & ITR (3 yrs)
- Artisan beneficiary list
- Land/space proof for CFC

VALIDITY: Ongoing Central Sector Scheme with continuous, rolling funding. Each approved cluster gets a 3-year (36-month) implementation & disbursement period.