Will the Minister of Education be pleased to state:

(a) whether a Performance Grading Index has been issued by the Ministry in view of the quality of teaching and facilities available in the schools operated in different States; and

(b) if so, the basis of the grading earned and the ranking released by the various States?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF EDUCATION

(SMT. ANNPURNA DEVI)

(a): The Department of School Education and Literacy (DoSEL), Ministry of Education has designed a 73-indicator based Performance Grading Index (PGI 2.0) to grade (not ranked) the States and Union Territories in the field of school education. Ministry of Education has recently released Performance Grading Index (PGI 2.0) for States and Union Territories (UTs) for the year 2021-22 and the same is available at the link https://pgi.udiseplus.gov.in/PGI-State-2021-22-Brochure.pdf.

(b): The PGI structure comprises of total weightage of 1000 points across 73 indicators, which are grouped under 2 Categories viz., Outcome and Governance & Management. These categories are further divided into 6 domains, viz., Learning Outcomes (LO), Access (A), Infrastructure & Facilities (IF), Equity (E), Governance Process (GP) and Teacher Education & Training (TET). The grades attained by States/UTs and the list of indicators used for arriving the score of PGI 2.0 is available at Annexure 1 and Annexure 3 respectively in the PGI 2.0 report 2021-22.

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