

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT  
DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL EDUCATION & LITERACY**

**LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.2021  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 28<sup>th</sup> NOVEMBER, 2016**

**Schools Without Teachers**

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Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has evaluated the schools running without teachers in the Country including in Madhya Pradesh during the last three years and the current year;
- (b) whether the Government has assessed its impact on children over the years and if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the details of the corrective steps taken/being taken by the Government in this regard?

**ANSWER**

**MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT**

**(SHRI UPENDRA KUSHWAHA)**

(a) to (c): No such assessment has been made. However, issues related to teacher recruitment, service conditions and teacher deployment in government schools are in the domain of State Governments and UT Administrations. Under Sarva Shiksha Abhiyan (SSA), the Central Government supports State Governments and UTs for additional teachers to maintain the Pupil-Teacher Ratio (PTR), as per the norms of the Right of Children to Free and Compulsory Education (RTE) Act, 2009. A total of 19.48 lakh teacher posts have been sanctioned under SSA, out of which 15.74 lakh teacher posts have been filled up as on 31st March, 2016.

The average PTR for government primary schools in the country is 29:1 and that for Government Upper primary schools is 26:1, as per Unified District Information System of Education (UDISE) 2014-15. Details of government schools functioning without teachers in States and UTs including Madhya Pradesh, are at Annexure.

The Rashtriya Madhyamik Shiksha Abhiyan (RMSA) scheme provides for appointment of 1 Head Teacher and 5 Teachers for every new/upgraded secondary school on regular basis. So far 121284 teachers including headmasters have been sanctioned for government secondary schools for upgraded/new schools and additional teachers for existing government secondary schools. Out of these sanctioned teachers, 76297 teachers have been recruited by the States/UTs. At Secondary level, there is no Government school without teachers.

Further, the Central Government in various meetings, State Education Secretaries conferences and Joint Review Missions advises States/UTs on timely teacher recruitment and deployment of teachers.

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## ANNEXURE

ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (a) OF LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2021 FOR ANSWER ON 28.11.2016 ASKED BY SHRI UDAY PRATAP SINGH REGARDING 'SCHOOLS WITHOUT TEACHERS'.

	State/UT	Government Schools without Teachers (Elementary Section)			
		2012-13	2013-14	2014-15	2015-16
1	Andaman & Nicobar Islands	0	0	0	0
2	Andhra Pradesh	3090	1647	1123	1339
3	Arunachal Pradesh	4	0	0	108
4	Assam	29	109	2	228
5	Bihar	289	180	65	41
6	Chandigarh	0	0	0	0
7	Chhattisgarh	499	310	302	385
8	Dadra Nagar & Haveli	0	0	0	0
9	Daman & Diu	0	0	0	0
10	Delhi	0	0	0	0
11	Goa	4	0	0	0
12	Gujarat	48	33	43	50
13	Haryana	141	2	116	182
14	Himachal Pradesh	0	2	2	4
15	Jammu & Kashmir	0	0	0	29
16	Jharkhand	1	4	10	99
17	Karnataka	451	439	702	1148
18	Kerala	1	0	0	3
19	Lakshadweep	0	0	0	0
20	Madhya Pradesh	3788	4072	4232	4837
21	Maharashtra	64	51	136	126
22	Manipur	6	5	0	1
23	Meghalaya	0	0	0	1
24	Mizoram	1	0	0	0
25	Nagaland	89	16	11	9
26	Odisha	50	21	2	2
27	Puducherry	0	0	0	0
28	Punjab	5	16	4	39
29	Rajasthan	18	16	28	63
30	Sikkim	0	0	0	0
31	Tamil Nadu	6	3	0	0
32	Telangana	NA	NA	620	1944
33	Tripura	0	12	4	0
34	Uttar Pradesh	1708	1407	496	393
35	Uttarakhand	47	25	17	192
36	West Bengal	6	55	51	155

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