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

# LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 872 TO BE ANSWERED ON 21.11.2016

### Model Schools in Rajasthan

#### † 872. SHRI RAM CHARAN BOHRA:

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

- (a) whether the Government has decided to set up model schools in academically backward blocks in Rajasthan;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) the number of such blocks where model schools are already existing and the number of blocks where the same is yet to be done;
- (d) the amount of funds already allocated/being released for setting up of these model schools in Rajasthan along with the time by which the remaining amount is likely to be released; and
- (e) the target fixed for expenditure of funds for establishing each schools in this regard?

#### **ANSWER**

### MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI UPENDRA KUSHWAHA)

- (a) & (b) Yes Madam. Under the erstwhile Centrally Sponsored Scheme of Model Schools, the State of Rajasthan was sanctioned for 134 Model Schools in the Educationally Backward Blocks till 2014-15.
- (c) As per information provided by the State Government, 132 Model Schools are functional.
- (d) & (e) Against the sanction of 134 model schools, an amount of Rs. 226.37 crore has been released by the Central Government till 2014-15. However, the Model school Scheme has been delinked from the Central assistance with effect from 2015-16 and transferred to the States.

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