

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

**LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 569  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 6<sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY, 2017**

**Shala Asmita Yojana**

**569. SHRI RAJESH RANJAN:  
SHRIMATI RANJEET RANJAN:**

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

- (a) whether the Government has launched the 'Shala Asmita Yojana' and if so, the details thereof;
- (b) the details of information likely to be tracked through the said programme;
- (c) the details of authority/department/organisation responsible to maintain the academic repository under the said yojana;
- (d) the criteria to access this academic repository and the recourse the students will have in case there is a discrepancy in their data uploaded; and
- (e) whether the competent authority will be mandated to inform students in case their data is hacked/misused considering the lack of privacy laws and the recourse the students will have in such cases?

**ANSWER**

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

(a) to (e): No, Madam. This was not formally launched. However, it is informed that the National University of Educational Planning and Administration (NUEPA) has been annually collecting information on various educational indicators including enrolment of children through the Unified District Information System for Education (U-DISE). This is now being upgraded to include student-wise information with the unique ID of the student, to enable the tracking of students in all schools in the country to monitor dropouts, retention etc. To support this framework, an online web enabled database has been envisaged to capture data on schools, teachers and students.

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