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

LOK SABHA STARRED QUESTION No.440 TO BE ANSWERED ON 26th MARCH, 2018

Development/Promotion of Education

*440. SHRI S.P. MUDDAHANUME GOWDA:

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

- (a) the number of proposals received by the Union Government from the State Government of Karnataka for the development/promotion of education during the last three years along with the funds sought, project-wise and the action taken thereon;
- (b) the reasons for pendency of proposals, if any, so far;
- (c) whether a time-limit has been fixed for disposal of the said proposals and if so, the details thereof; and
- (d) whether the delay in clearing the proposals hampers the development/promotion work and if so, the manner in which the cost overrun caused by this delay is adjusted?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI PRAKASH JAVADEKAR)

(a) to (d): A Statement is laid on the Table of the House.

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) TO (d) OF LOK SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO. *440 TO BE ANSWERED ON 26th March, 2018 ASKED BY SHRI S. P. MUDDAHANUME GOWDA REGARDING DEVELOPMENT/PROMOTION OF EDUCATION.

(a) to (d): There are four centrally sponsored schemes relating to school education viz. Sarva Shiksha Abhiyan (SSA) to assist States in universalization of elementary education, the Rashtriya Madhyamik Shiksha Abhiyan (RMSA) for universal access to secondary education, the Mid-day-Meal (MDM) for improving the nutritional status of children and the Teacher Education (TE) to create a sound institutional infrastructure for pre-service and in-service training of elementary & secondary school teachers and for provision of academic resource support to elementary and secondary schools. These schemes are implemented in all States and UTs including in Karnataka.

The budget proposals under these schemes are prepared in the form of Annual Work Plan & Budget (AWP&B) by the State/UTs including Karnataka, covering various interventions specified in the respective schemes as per the norms. Item-wise budget demands for one year are included in the AWP&B by each State/UT including Karnataka and the viable and feasible proposals are approved/estimated by the Department as per budget availability in consultation with concerned States and UTs.

The Scheme-wise details on approval of fund allocation, central share released and expenditure during the last three years in respect of Karnataka is mentioned in the Table given below:-

(Rs. in lakh)

Name of Scheme	2014-15			2015-16			2016-17		
	Estimate/O utlay	Central share	Expenditure*		Central share	Expenditure*		Central share	Expenditure*
	,	released		_	released		,	released	
SSA	133978.35	66213.52	103546.41	154580.82	41759.33	119636.52	187896.99	54495.50	128686.02
RMSA	14855.80	30351.27	34820.53	15219.41	20968.84	48969.60	32770.35	8104.32	16938.36
MDM	83368.08	56610.57	59165.57	78871.93	41939.61	53949.29	79661.56	43937.98	44603.00
TE	2914.47	2914.47	2914.47	1738.99	1738.99	1738.99	1877.93	1877.93	1877.93

*Note: Expenditure shown above is against receipts from Central release, State share release, Finance Commission Award and Miscellaneous incomes, if any.

The Centrally Sponsored Scheme of Rashtriya Uchchatar Shiksha Abhiyan (RUSA) is related to providing strategic funding to eligible State's higher educational institutions. Karnataka joined RUSA scheme in October, 2013, by committing to bringing reforms in Higher Education in the State. Under RUSA, an amount of Rs. 502 crore has been approved for Karnataka. The State had sent proposals under 12 Components. Proposals are approved by the Project Approval Board of RUSA on the basis of adherence to the norms of the scheme. The total grants released to Karnataka are given below:-

(Rs. in crore)

Year-wise releases							
Total Amount Approved	Total Central Share Approved (60%)	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17		Total Releases	
502.00	301.20	0	87.225	41.8125	70.325	202.645*	
*includes Rs. 3.2825 crore released in 2013-14							

Against proposals under12 components submitted by Government of Karnataka, approval has been given for proposals under 6 Components, based on their compliance with the scheme guidelines. Subsequently, the State has submitted additional proposals under 3 Components. The details of 12 Components are at Annexure.

ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (a) TO (d) OF LOK SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO. 440 FOR ANSWER ON 26.03.2018 ASKED BY SHRI S.P. MUDDAHANUME GOWDA REGARDING DEVELOPMENT/PROMOTION OF EDUCATION IN KARNATAKA.

The details of proposal of Govt. of Karnataka on 12 Components under RUSA scheme

S.No	Component Name	Proposed	Approved	Remarks	Conditionality
1	Creation of Universities	_	1		Submission of DPR
	conversion of Autonomous			that complied with	
	college to University			the Guidelines	
				approved.	
2	Creation of Universities by		1		Submission of DPR
	conversion of college in a			that complied with	
	cluster			the Guidelines	
				approved.	
3	Infrastructure grants to	21	9	9 universities with	
	universities			NAAC A/B	
				approved.	
4	New Model Degree Colleges	20	0	Not in compliance	
	(MDC)			with Guidelines	
				and achievement of	
				overall target for	
				the Component.	
5	Up-gradation of colleges to	23	1	Only 1 proposal	
	MDC			that complied with	
				the Guidelines	
				approved.	
6	New Professional College	1	1	Only 1 proposal	
				that complied with	
				the Guidelines	
				approved.	
7	Infrastructure grants to	710	91	Only 91 proposals	
	colleges			that complied with	
				the Guidelines	
				approved.	
8	Research & Innovative	12	0	Not in compliance	
				with Guidelines.	
9	Equity Initiative	4	0		
10	Faculty Improvement	1556	0		
11	Faculty Recruitment	9	0		
12	Vocationalization of higher	7	0		
	education				

Total fund proposed by the State is Rs. 4054.80 Crore for the period of 2014-2017.
