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

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UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1583 TO BE ANSWERED ON 05.03.2018

Web Portal for NCERT Books

1583. SHRI V. ELUMALAI:

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

- (a) whether the National Council of Educational Research is a dedicated portal for supply of text books to schools and individuals:
- (b) if so, whether the said portal ensures better distribution of text books across the country and also address apprehensions, on the part of schools and parents regarding their unavailability;
- (c) whether the portal is also available to the individual buyers who can get books delivered at their doorsteps with nominal postal charges; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

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

- (a) & (b) The NCERT has launched a dedicated web portal (www.ncertbooks.ncert.gov.in) for supply of textbooks to schools and individuals. This portal ensures better distribution of textbooks across the country.
- (c) & (d) Individual buyers can also procure NCERT books through this portal and get them delivered at their doorstep with nominal postal charges.
