

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

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 5523
TO BE ANSWERED ON 2ND APRIL, 2018**

Training of Teachers

5523. SHRI K. PARASURAMAN:

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

- (a) whether the Government is having any proposal to allot more funds to Tamil Nadu since it has fared well in the training of teachers and also the only State in the country to have registered an increase in schools enrolment both in private and Government schools;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether the Government has received any request/proposal from the State Government of Tamil Nadu in this regard; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof along with the response of the Government thereto?

ANSWER

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

(a) to (d): Department of School Education & Literacy has not received any such specific proposal in this regard. However, Tamil Nadu is not the only State in the country to have registered an increase in school enrolment. The States/UTs of Bihar, Chandigarh, D&N Haveli, Delhi, Karnataka, Maharashtra, Meghalaya, Mizoram, Nagaland, Odisha, Rajasthan, Telangana and West Bengal have also registered an increase in total enrolment (all managements) in schools in 2015-16 over 2014-15 as per UDISE data base. The approved outlay/estimate for Tamil Nadu under Sarva Shiksha Abhiyan (SSA) and Rashtriya Madhyamik Shiksha Abhiyan (RMSA) for 2017-18 is Rs. 2778.43 crore (including Rs. 27.28 crore for teachers' training) and Rs. 449.33 crore (including Rs. 5.52 crore for training) respectively.