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

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UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1972 TO BE ANSWERED ON 30thJULY, 2018

Evaluation of CBSE Papers

1972. SHRI D.S. RATHOD: SHRI KUNDARIYA MOHAN BHAI KALYANJI BHAI:

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

- (a) whether the Government has taken note of serious mistakes committed by the evaluators in evaluation of exam papers of CBSE;
- (b) if so, the details thereof and the corrective action proposed in this regard indicating the number of cases reported during the last three years;
- (c) whether such cases have also been reported from Gujarat;
- (d) if so, the details thereof and the steps taken to compensate the students affected by this wrong evaluation; and
- (e) theremedial measures taken/being taken by the Government to check recurrence of such cases in future?

ANSWER

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

(a) and (b): The Central Board of Secondary Education has informed that there are many manual activities involved in the evaluation process of the Class X & Class XII examination and thus, there are probability of mistakes. A system has been put in place in which an opportunity is given to the students to apply to the CBSE to rectify mistake,

if any. The guilty teachers are identified and show causenoticesissued to them. The number of cases reported during the last three years aretabulated below:

Year	No. of	No. of	No. of	% of	No. of	% of (f)
	Candidates	Answer	Cases	(d)	Mistake	against
		Book	applied for	against	Cases	(e)
			Re-	(c)	after Re-	
			evaluation		evaluation	
			process			
(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)	(g)
2016	10,51,999	55,33,398	78,522	7.46	5,849	7.44
2017	10,76,761	57,43,830	99,661	7.26	7,345	7.36
2018*	27,88,712*	1,50,17,256*	66,876	5.75	4,632	6.92

*Increase due to starting X Board exam again after a lapse of 7 year.

(c) and (d): The number of cases reported from Gujarat during 2018 is given below:

Total No. of Re-evaluation cases received in 2018	Total mistake cases		
220	204		

In cases where marks are increased or decreased, a fresh marks statement shall be issued to such candidates after surrendering the old Marks Statement by the candidate(s) concerned.

(e): The Board has taken series of tough measures in disciplining the schools and other associated functionaries including use of technology and it is expected that systemic improvement aimed at quality evaluation in more transparent manner will reduce recurrence of such cases in future.
