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

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1993 TO BE ANSWERED ON 30.7.2018

Quality Education in Madarsas

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

(a) whether it is a fact that several Madrasas are receiving grants under scheme for providing quality education in Madrasas in Madhya Pradesh has not received funds during the last two years;

(b) the reasons for not releasing the grants to them during the years 2016-17 and 2017-18; and

(c) the time by which grant for the years 2016-17 and 2017-18 is likely to be released?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT

(SHRI UPENDRA KUSHWAHA)

(a) to (c) Under the Scheme for Providing Quality Education in Madrasas (SPQEM), of the Department of School Education and Literacy an amount of Rs. 1526.74 Lakhs was released to the State Government of Madhya Pradesh benefitting 1877 Madrasas during 2016-17. Further, the year 2017-18, an amount of Rs. 846.746 Lakh was released to the State Government of Madhya Pradesh benefitting 1138 Madrasas.

During the Central Grant in Aid Committee (CGIAC) meeting held on 14.01.2016 for the year 2015-16, a decision was taken that only those Madarsas which have Unified District Information System for Education (U-DISE) codes or a Unique Identity/ Registration code given by State Governments would be assisted, under the scheme. Accordingly, 1138 Madrasas which were having U-DISE codes as per records of UDISE 2016-17, were considered for release of grants in 2017-18.