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

LOK SABHA

STARRED QUESTION NO. *195 TO BE ANSWERED ON 24th December, 2018

Irregularities by School Managements

*195. PROF. RAVINDRA VISHWANATH GAIKWAD: SHRIMATI BHAVANA PUNDALIKRAO GAWALI PATIL:

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

- (a) whether irregularities are being committed by the managements/owners of some private/public schools in enrolment, charging of hefty donation, arbitrary/ exorbitant fees, compulsory buying of uniform, books and stationery from these schools and if so, the reaction of the Government thereto;
- (b) whether the Government has asked for any response from such schools and if so, the number of schools which have given response in this regard along with the extent to which these responses are satisfactory;
- (c) the details of schools found guilty in this regard and the action taken against such schools;
- (d) the steps taken/being taken to remove/check such irregularities; and
- (e) whether the Government proposes to introduce a common syllabus and similar uniform in all the schools of the country and if so, the time by which the same is likely to be implemented?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI PRAKASH JAVADEKAR)

(a) to (e): A statement is laid on the Table of the House.

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO THE PARTS (a) TO (e) OF LOK SABHA STARRED QUESTION NUMBER *195 FOR 24.12.2018 ASKED BY PROF. RAVINDRA VISHWANATH GAIKWAD AND SHRIMATI BHAVANA PUNDALIKRAO GAWALI PATIL REGARDING "IRREGULARITIES BY SCHOOL MANAGEMENTS".

(a): The Central Board of Secondary Education (CBSE) has informed that they receive sporadic complaints against its Independent affiliated schools with regard to charging of hefty donation, arbitrary/exorbitant fees, compulsory buying of uniform, books and stationery from these schools. As and when such complaints are received, the Board takes appropriate action as per the provisions of the Affiliation Bye-Laws.

(b) and (c): A statement indicating the number of complaints received during the last three years and action taken thereon is annexed at Annexure I.

d) The affiliated schools of CBSE are expected to follow provisions of its Affiliation and Examination Bye-Laws and in case of violation of these Bye-Laws, appropriate action is taken by the Board which depends on the gravity of mistake committed by the school and includes withdrawal of affiliation granted to the school.

e) No, Madam

ANNEXURE-I

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (b) AND (c) OF THE LOK SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO. 195 FOR ANSWER ON 24.12.2018 REGARDING "IRREGULARITIES BY SCHOOL MANAGEMENT" SHOWING DETAILS OF COMPLAINTS AND ACTION TAKEN THEREOF DURING THE LAST THREE YEARS

SI. No	Affiliation No.	Details of Schools	Nature of the complaint	Complaint date	Action taken
	1630884.	Police DAV Public School Affiliation no.	Fee hike in the school in the name of building fund and annual charges.	18.05.2016	The complaint stands disposed of.
	2730015	DPS Mathu ra Road, New Delhi	Complaint against the school for hiking the annual fee by 15% to 20% from April 2016.	10.06.2016	The complaint stands disposed of.
	2730237	Delhi Public School, Sector C, Pocket V, Vasant Kunj, New Delhi- 110070.	unjustified fees taken by the school	10.11.2016	The complaint stands disposed of.
	2730487	N K Bagrodia Public School, Sector 4, Dwarka, New Delhi-110075.	collecting illegally, maliciously building funds every quarter and twelve months bus fees from all the students studying in their schools	06.02.2017	The complaint stands disposed of.
	930006	Chinmaya Vidyalaya, Kannankulang ara, Tripunithura, Kochi, Kerala- 682301	Fee hike	17.03.2017	The complaint stands disposed of.
	3430044	Delhi Public School, Sector – IV, Bokaro Steel City,Bokaro, Jharkhand	Management of the said school has compelled all the students to purchase Adidas shoes from certain shop.	07.04.2017	The school has been issued Show Cause Notice date 17/04/2017 and reply received and settled vide letter dated 03.10.2017.

2730292	DAV Public	increase of fee and	15.10.2017	The complaint stands
2130232	School,	change of uniform	13.10.2017	disposed of.
		every year		
	Ashok Vihar	overy year		
	(Ph IV),			
	Dalbi 110052			
	Delhi-110052.			
 2130724	Delhi Public	Sale Uniform/Track	04.01.2018	Complaint forwarded to DEO
	School,	suit		with request to take
	Kanpur, UP			appropriate action and inform
				the complainant.
2130724	Delhi Public	Sale Uniform/Track	04.01.2018	Complaint forwarded to DEO
	School,	suit		with request to take
	Kanpur, UP			appropriate action and inform
				the complainant.
 2130106	Dayawatimodi	Sale of books	14.04.2018	Complaint forwarded to DEO
2130100	<u>Academy</u> ,	redmission &	14.04.2010	with request to take
	Rampur UP	Security fees		appropriate action and inform
				the complainant.
2132023	Vibgyor High	Fee Enhancement	09.05.2018	Complaint forwarded to DEO
	<u>School</u> ,			with request to take
	Lucknow, Up			appropriate action and inform
				the complainant.
2130514	Mahatma	Hike in fees &	10.05.2018	Complaint forwarded to DEO
	Hansraj	purchase of school		with request to take
	Modern	item.		appropriate action and inform
	School,			the complainant.
	Jhansi, Up			
2130292	Ingraham	Hike in fees	19.05.2018	Complaint forwarded to DEO
	Institute Eng.			with request to take
	Med. School,			appropriate action and inform
	Aligarh, Up			the complainant.
 2131285	DSR Modern	Hike in fees	19.05.2018	Complaint forwarded to DEO
2101200	School,Gauta		10.00.2010	with request to take
	mbudh Nagar,			appropriate action and inform
	UP			the complainant.
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3530256	<u>Olympus High</u> ,	Hike in fees & sale	19.05.2018	Complaint forwarded to DEO
	Dehradun, Uttarakhand	of Books		with request to take
	Ullaraknanu			appropriate action and inform the complainant.
2130689	St Xavier's	Annual Charge		Complaint forwarded to DEO
	<u>High</u>			with request to take
	<u>School</u> ,Balram			appropriate action and inform
	pur, Up			the complainant.
2730245	Spring	Increase of	Nil	The complaint stands
	Meadows	fees every		disposed of.
	Public School,	year,		
	Dawan Estata	Compulsor		
	Dewan Estate,	У		
	Opp. Sewak Park, Main	purchasing		
	Najafgarh	of		
	ivajaiyaiii			

Road, Uttam	Book/Statio	
Nagar, Delhi-	nary items	
110059	from	
	school, No	
	facilities	
	likes RO	
	water & fan	
	etc.	
