GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF PLANNING

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1424 TO BE ANSWERED ON 10.02.2021

ATAL INNOVATION MISSION

†1424: SHRI DILESHWAR KAMAIT:

Will the Minister of PLANNING be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of schools selected in Bihar under Atal Innovation Mission along with the details thereof;
- (b) the number of selected schools which received Atal Tinkering Lab (ATL) grant under the said mission;
- (c) the time by which the grant will be made available to remaining selected schools along with the details thereof:
- (d) the procedure for selection of school; and
- (e) whether the Government purposes to bring Supaul district of Bihar under the said scheme?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) OF THE MINISTRY OF PLANNING AND MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) OF THE MINISTRY OF STATISTICS AND PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION

(RAO INDERJIT SINGH)

- (a) Total 167 schools are selected in the state of Bihar.
- (b) Total 81 schools have received ATL grant-in-aid.
- (c) The disbursement of ATL grant-in-aid is subject to successful documentary compliance and availability of funds. The grant-in-aid shall be disbursed to complaint schools in due course of time as and when budgets are available.
- (d) Interested schools submit an application for set-up of Atal Tinkering Lab. The applications are processed using the screening and selection criteria mentioned in ATL application guidelines and schools are selected for ATL establishment. The selected schools are invited for a documentary compliance process and after successful compliance, schools are sanctioned ATL grant-in-aid.
- (e) Till date, 4 schools are selected in Supaul District. Out of which one school viz. PLUS TWO L N L N PROJECT GIRLS SCHOOL, TRIVENIGANJ, SUPAUL-852139 has received the ATL grant-in-aid.
