

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF EDUCATION  
DEPARTMENT OF HIGHER EDUCATION**

**LOK SABHA**  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 224  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 19.07.2021

**Polytechnic Colleges and Hostels**

**224. SHRI RAJAN VICHARE:**

Will the Minister of EDUCATION be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government of Maharashtra has requested to open Polytechnic Colleges and Hostels in the State if so, the number of Government Polytechnic Colleges and hostels opened in Maharashtra during the last three years;
- (b) the district-wise and year-wise details of the financial assistance provided to open Polytechnic Colleges during the last three years; and
- (c) if not, the reasons therefor?

**ANSWER**

**MINISTER OF EDUCATION  
(SHRI. DHARMENDRA PRADHAN)**

(a) No, Sir.

(b) & (c) Under "Scheme of Polytechnics" in Ministry of Skill Development and Entrepreneurship (MSDE), no request was made by State Government of Maharashtra to open Government Polytechnic Colleges and Hostels during the last three years.

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