GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF EDUCATION DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL EDUCATION AND LITERACY

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2202 ANSWERED ON 9th December, 2024

Non-Enrollment of Children in Schools

2202. Shri Sribharat Mathukumilli:

Will the Minister of EDUCATION be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government maintains any data on the students not enrolled in primary, Secondary and senior secondary education;
- (b) if so, the details thereof, State-wise; and
- (c) if not, the reasons therefor?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF EDUCATION (SHRI JAYANT CHAUDHARY)

(a) to (c): The education is in the concurrent list of the Constitution of India and majority of the schools are under the domain of the respective State and UT Government. The Department of School Education and Literacy (DoSE&L), Ministry of Education maintains data on enrollment of children at primary, secondary and senior secondary level through Unified District Information System for Education Plus (UDISE+) portal annually and may be seen on https://dashboard.udiseplus.gov.in/#/reportDashboard/sReport

The DoSE&L also maintains PRABANDH (Project Appraisal, Budgeting, Achievements and Data Handling System) portal on which State/UT provide and update the data relating to Out of School Children (OoSC). As per the PRABANDH portal, the State wise details of children identified as OoSC for the year 2024-25 is placed in the **Annexure**.

ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY OF LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2202 FOR REPLY ON 09.12.2024 ASKED BY HON'BLE MP SHRI SRIBHARAT MATHUKUMILLI REGARDING NON-ENROLLMENT OF CHILDREN IN SCHOOLS

Statement showing State/UT-wise children identified as OoSC for the year 2024-25

| SI. No. | State/UT | Identified Out of School Children (for year 2024-25*) |
|---------|----------------------|---|
| 1 | A&N Island | 2 |
| 2 | Andhra Pradesh | 3729 |
| 3 | Arunachal Pradesh | 177 |
| 4 | Assam | 63848 |
| 5 | Bihar | 24471 |
| 6 | Chandigarh UT | 3182 |
| 7 | Chhattisgarh | 7793 |
| 8 | Dadra & Nagar Haveli | 471 |
| | Daman & Diu | |
| 9 | Delhi | 18367 |
| 10 | Goa | 148 |
| 11 | Gujarat | 54541 |
| 12 | Haryana | 31645 |
| 13 | Himachal Pradesh | 4364 |
| 14 | Jammu & Kashmir | 720 |
| 15 | Jharkhand | 65070 |
| 16 | Karnataka | 9488 |
| 17 | Kerala | 2297 |
| 18 | Ladakh | 0 |
| 19 | Lakshdweep | 0 |
| 20 | Madhya Pradesh | 37801 |
| 21 | Maharashtra | 2282 |
| 22 | Manipur | 1724 |
| 23 | Meghalaya | 4793 |
| 24 | Mizoram | 809 |
| 25 | Nagaland | 685 |
| 26 | Orissa | 313 |
| 27 | Pondicherry | 4 |
| 28 | Punjab | 2475 |
| 29 | Rajasthan | 10311 |
| 30 | Sikkim | 74 |
| 31 | Tamil Nadu | 14584 |
| 32 | Telangana | 11449 |
| 33 | Tripura | 1678 |
| 34 | Uttar Pradesh | 784228 |
| 35 | Uttaranchal | 3069 |
| 36 | West Bengal | 3812 |
| Total | | 1170404 |

Source: PRABANDH

^{*} Status as on November, 2024