

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

**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1182  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 07.12.2015**

**Schools in Karnataka**

1182. KUMARI SHOBHA KARANDLAJE:  
SHRI PRATHAP SIMHA:

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

- (a) whether it is a fact that most of Government Senior Secondary Schools in Karnataka do not have proper Biology, Chemistry and Physics labs;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the action taken/proposed to be taken by the Government to set up fully equipped Science Labs in all secondary schools of the State within a time-frame?

**ANSWER**

**MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT  
(SMT. SMRITI ZUBIN IRANI)**

(a) & (b): As per the Unified District Information System for Education (UDISE) 2014-15, the number of Government higher secondary schools having Biology, Chemistry and Physics labs out of a total of 1227 schools in the State of Karnataka is at Annexure-I.

(c): Under the scheme of Rashtriya Madhyamik Shiksha Abhiyan, 1649 science labs along with equipments have been approved for the Government Secondary schools of the State of Karnataka since the inception of the scheme on the basis of proposals submitted by the State Government.

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**Annexure - I**

**ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN PART (a) & (b) OF REPLY TO LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1182 FOR 07.12.2015 REGARDING SCHOOLS IN KARNATAKA ASKED BY KUMARI SHOBHA KARANDLAJE AND SHRI PRATHAP SIMHA**

**A. UDISE data for Government higher secondary schools 2014-15 (as on 30<sup>th</sup> September, 2015)**

<b>Number of Government Higher Secondary Schools with Separate Room for Laboratory : 2014-15</b>			
<b>State</b>	<b>Physics</b>	<b>Chemistry</b>	<b>Biology</b>
<b>KARNATAKA</b>	<b>477</b>	<b>479</b>	<b>473</b>

**B. Status of the Science labs in Government Higher Secondary Schools of Karnataka**

<b>State</b>	<b>Physics</b>		<b>Chemistry</b>		<b>Biology</b>	
	<b>Number of labs fully equipped</b>	<b>Number of labs partially equipped</b>	<b>Number of labs fully equipped</b>	<b>Number of labs partially equipped</b>	<b>Number of labs fully equipped</b>	<b>Number of labs partially equipped</b>
<b>Karnataka</b>	<b>90</b>	<b>187</b>	<b>92</b>	<b>184</b>	<b>89</b>	<b>183</b>