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

## LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3556 TO BE ANSWERED ON 21.12.2015

#### Funds for RMSA in Odisha

#### 3556. SHRI BAIJAYANT JAY PANDA:

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

- (a) whether the Government is aware that an amount of Rs. 123.51 crores of committed liability towards the Government of Odisha, pertaining to Rashtriya Madhyamik Shiksha Abhiyan (RMSA) for the years 2011-12 and 2013-14 is still outstanding with the Government and if so, the details thereof;
- (b) whether the Government is aware that the projects under RMSA are lying incomplete due to this amount not being released;
- (c) if so, the steps taken/being taken by the Government for releasing the said amount to the Government of Odisha; and
- (d) if not, the reasons therefor?

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

(a) to (d) The requisite central share towards the Government of Odisha pertaining to projects approved under Rashtriya Madhyamik Shiksha Abhiyan for the years 2011-12 and 2013-14 has been released as per the norms of General Financial Rules and latest guidelines of Ministry of Finance dated 28<sup>th</sup> October 2015 on sharing pattern between Central and State Governments.

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