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

LOK SABHA

STARRED QUESTION NO. 237
TO BE ANSWERED ON 14.03.2016

SHAALA DARPAN AND SARANSH SERVICES

*237. DR. P. VENUGOPAL:

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

(a)   whether the Government is considering to launch Shaala Darpan and Saransh Services, the use of SMS for the students of Class I to XII in Kendriya Vidyalayas in the next academic session, if so, the details thereof; and

(b)   whether the said service is likely to help the parents to keep track of the attendance of their wards, time-table and marks obtained through SMS and to compare their learning standards with other children at the district, State and national levels and if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

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

(a) & (b): A statement is laid on the Table of the House.

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STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) & (b) OF THE LOK SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO. 237 RAISED BY DR. P. VENUGOPAL, HON'BLE MEMBER OF PARLIAMENT TO BE ANSWERED ON 14TH MARCH, 2016 REGARDING SHAALA DARPAN AND SARANSH SERVICES.

(a) & (b) Shaala Darpan initiative, which is intended to serve as a single integrated platform to address academic and administrative requirements of various stake holders such as students, teachers, management and parents has been launched in Kendriya Vidyalayas w.e.f 05.06.2015. The following modules are covered under Shaala Darpan:-

(1)   Student Management System: Students Management, Result, Attendance, Examination, Time Table, Library, Transport & Hostel Management

(2)   Administration: Employee Management, Inventory and Procurement, Fees and Fine, Payroll, Financial Management and Book Keeping & System Administration.

(3)   Advanced Modules: E-Learning System, SMS Module, Online Payment Module, Parent/Guardian Information Module, Online Admission & Multiple School Integrated Dashboard.

'SARANSH' is a tool for comprehensive self review and analysis for CBSE affiliated schools and parents of students of these schools. It was launched on 07.11.2015 in schools affiliated to CBSE including Kendriya Vidyalayas from classes 9 to 12. 'SARANSH' brings schools, teachers and parents closer, so that they can monitor and analyse the progress of students and help them improve their performance.

The services of Shaala Darpan helps the parents to keep them informed of the attendance of their wards in case they are not present in the school. Besides this, other services like access to class schedules, examination schedules and results, on-line learning resources, interaction with teachers, access to on-line admissions etc. are being provided through Shaala Darpan.

'SARANSH' enables parents and teachers to have one on one interaction regarding their child's performance and overall growth. Parents also get notifications from school/teacher on various activities and topics of interest. It also helps to compare the performance vis-à-vis all CBSE schools at various levels and also helps parents to compare their ward's performance within school, state, region and National level.

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