

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

LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.2649
TO BE ANSWERED ON 14.03.2016

Provision of Scholarship in Rural Schools

†2649. SHRIMATI NEELAM SONKER:

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

- (a) whether any proposal for scholarship scheme for students has been received by the Government from Uttar Pradesh to create awareness towards the education amongst the children of primary and high schools in rural areas during the current year;
- (b) if so, the details thereof ;
- (c) whether the Government proposes to provide funds to all the State Governments for providing scholarships in Government schools in rural areas in order to spread awareness towards the education; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof ?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT

(SMT. SMRITI ZUBIN IRANI)

- (a) to (d): No such proposal has been received from the Government of Uttar Pradesh for scholarship scheme to create awareness towards education among children ranging from primary to high school level in rural areas during the current year. The funds under scholarship schemes are provided by the Ministries / Departments of Social Justice and Empowerment, Tribal Affairs, Minority Affairs and School Education and Literacy either directly into bank accounts of the students or to States / UTs for grant of scholarship in the Government schools in urban as well as rural areas.
