

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT
DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL EDUCATION AND LITERACY**

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1324
TO BE ANSWERED ON 25.07.2016**

Laptops in Schools

1324. SHRI C. R. PATIL:

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

- (a) whether the Government has any plan for providing at least one laptop to each class of a school in rural areas of the country;
- (b) if so, the details thereof and the amount of grant sanctioned to States including Gujarat for implementing this project during the current financial year; and
- (c) if not, the reason therefor?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT

(SHRI UPENDRA KUSHWAHA)

- (a) No, Madam.
- (b) Does not arise.
- (c) The Information and Communication Technology (ICT) in School (ICT @ School) component of the Centrally Sponsored Scheme of Rashtriya Madhyamik Shiksha Abhiyan (RMSA) provides support to States/ Union Territories to set up ICT infrastructure such as Computers, Printers, Projectors, scanners etc., in Government and Government aided secondary and senior secondary schools to impart computer literacy and promote computer enabled learning.
