

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2372

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UTILISATION OF FUNDS FOR NON FORMAL EDUCATION TO WOMEN IN KARNATAKA
GANGASANDRA SIDDAPPA BASAVARAJ;GOWDAR MALLIKARJUNAPPA

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

- (a) whether a task force on women empowerment of Karnataka has stated that the Education Department had failed to avail the grant of Rs.100 crore from the Centre which the State Government was entitled to get for providing non-formal education to women;
- (b) if so, the reasons therefor;
- (c) the total amount provided by the Union Government so far to the State Government for providing the non-formal education for women in the State;
- (d) whether the Government have urged the State Government to take necessary measures for utilising the fund; and
- (e) if so, the details thereof ?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SMT. SUMITRA MAHAJAN)

(a) to (e) This Ministry is not aware of any such report. The Centrally sponsored scheme of Non-formal Education aims at providing non-formal education to unenrolled out of school children in the age group 6-14 years. The Government of Karnataka is not implementing the scheme in the State sector. Hence, no funds have been released to the State Government.