

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

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2
ANSWERED ON:26.02.2002
ERRORS IN NEW HISTORY SYLLABI
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Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) whether attention of the Government has been drawn to the news item appearing in the 'Hindustan Times' New Delhi dated January 23, 2002 captioned 'Glaring errors in new history syllabi';
- (b) if so, the facts of the matter reported therein; and
- (c) the steps taken/being taken to remove the discrepancies in the Syllabi?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (PROF. RITA VERMA)

(a): Yes, Sir.

(b) & (c): The report contains motivated and exaggerated allegation against the NCERT syllabi. NCERT has undertaken suitable measures on the basis of the comments and suggestion received from well known historian and CBSE. NCERT has been accepting constructive suggestions for further improvement in all academic and professional matters.