

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

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WORLD BANK FUNDER PROJECT FOR UPGRADING EDUCATION FACILITIES .

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

- (a) The details of project which are funded by the World Bank;
- (b) The present position of each project;
- (c) Whether the World Bank has funded 1800 crores for upgrading education facilities project;
- (d) if so, the details thereof;
- (e) Whether the funds received from World Bank have been fully utilized; and
- (f) If not, the reasons for the same?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI M.A.A.FATMI)

(a) to (f): The Ministry of Human Resource Development is implementing two projects namely Technician Education Project III (Tech. Ed. III) and Technical Education Quality Improvement Programme of Government of India (TEQIP) with the assistance of World Bank for up gradation of educational facilities at a total cost of Rs. 364 crore and Rs. 1550 crore respectively.

Tech.Ed-III commenced in January, 2001 covering 21 polytechnics from 8 States/ UT namely Arunachal Pradesh, Jammu & Kashmir, Meghalaya, Mizoram, Nagaland, Sikkim, Tripura and UT of Andaman & Nicobar Islands. The project is ending in June, 2007.

TEQIP commenced in March, 2003 covering 18 centrally funded institutions and 110 State institutions from 13 States namely Andhra Pradesh, Gujarat, Haryana, Himachal Pradesh, Jharkhand, Karnataka, Kerala, Madhya Pradesh, Maharashtra, Tamil Nadu, Uttranchal, Uttar Pradesh and West Bengal. The project is ending in June, 2008.

The funds earmarked for Tech.Ed-III and TEQIP are to be utilized by June, 2007 and June, 2008 respectively.