

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

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

- (a) whether some proposals to open Urdu schools having English as one of the subjects is pending with the Government;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the action taken or proposed to be taken by the Government in this regard?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SMT. D. PURANDESWARI)

(a) to (c): The Maulana Azad National Urdu University, Hyderabad has proposed to establish under its administrative control Senior Secondary Urdu Medium Residential Schools, affiliated to Central Board of Secondary Education and teaching English from Class I to XII as a compulsory subject. Two schools one each at Hyderabad and Dharbanga have been established on pilot basis.