

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

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DISABLED FRIENDLY INFRASTRUCTURE IN SCHOOLS  
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**Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether the Government proposes disabled-friendly infrastructure in schools to provide ``barrier-free access`` to students with disability;
- (b) if so, the details thereof ; and
- (c) if not, the reasons therefor ?

**Answer**

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

(a) and (b): Yes Sir, The Centrally Sponsored Scheme of Inclusive Education for the Disabled at Secondary Stage (IEDSS) includes a component for removal of architectural barriers to ensure that students with disabilities have access to classrooms, laboratory, library and toilets in the school.

(c): Does not arise.