

**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 his Ministry is conducting various programmes in the country through NGOs with monetary assistance;
- (b) if so, the details thereof, State-wise and programme-wise;
- (c) whether the Government has any monitoring mechanism to assess the results of such programme's implementations;
- (d) if so, the details thereof;
- (e) whether it also assessed the results of JSS programme; and
- (f) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

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

(a) & (b): Yes, Sir. Ministry of Human Resource Development sanctions grants in aid to NGOs under several schemes. These interalia include:

1. Innovative & Experimental (I&E) Programmes for Education at Elementary level.
2. Scheme for construction and running of Girls' hostel for students of Secondary and Higher Secondary Schools.
3. Scheme of Inclusive Education for Disabled at Secondary Stage (IEDSS).
4. Scheme of Information & Communication Technology (ICT) @ Schools.
5. Scheme of Support to Voluntary Agencies for Adult Education Skill Development through State Resource Centres (SRCs) and Jan Shikshan Sansthan (JSSs).
6. Assistance to Agencies for Strengthening of Education in Human Values.
7. Financial Assistance under Intellectual Property Education, Research and Public Outreach (IPERPO)
8. Strengthening of Voluntary Organisations engaged in UNESCO's programmes and activities.
9. National Mission on Education through Information & Communication Technology (ICT)

The details are available in the Annual Report of this Ministry for the year 2009-10

(c) to (f): All schemes being run through Non-Governmental Organisations (NGOs) have an inbuilt mechanism for post-sanction monitoring and review. The Scheme of Jan Shikshan Sansthan (JSS)/ State Resource Centres (SRCs) were reviewed through Indian Institute of Management (IIM) Bangalore and Management Development Institute (MDI) Gurgaon and based on that, the scheme was extended for the 11th Plan. Besides, the performance of individual JSSs/SRCs are monitored periodically through in house mechanisms of National Literacy Mission Authority (NLMA) as well as External Evaluation Agencies.