

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

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REIMBURSEMENT OF MESS ALLOWANCE  
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**Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether the hostlers of Polytechnic Institutes are reimbursed mess allowance (Scholarship) fully in Andaman and Nicobar Islands;
- (b) if so, the details thereof and the reasons therefore; and
- (c) the details of monthly bills per hostler?

**Answer**

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

(a) to (c): As per the information given by the Andaman & Nicobar Administration, the mess allowance(scholarship) for the hostellers of Polytechnic are fully reimbursed. For the students of inter islands staying in hostels, there will be full reimbursement of hostel expenses on the basis of bills presented by the hostel authorities.