

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

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2872  
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PERFORMANCE OF URDU SCHOOLS  
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**Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether despite poor maintenance and non-availability of teachers, urdu medium schools in the country in CBSE results, have recorded impressive results in the year 2010;
- (b) if so, the pass percentage of Urdu medium schools under CBSE in 10th and 12th standard during 2010;
- (c) whether it is a fact that CBSE published sample papers and other information on its websites only in Hindi or English;
- (d) if so, whether CBSE proposes to publish the sample papers in Urdu to help the students of Urdu medium; and
- (e) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?

**Answer**

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

- (a) & (b) : There are 31 schools affiliated to Central Board of Secondary Education (CBSE) offering subjects in the Urdu Medium. The pass percentages of these schools in 10th and 12th Class Examinations during 2010 were 82.70% and 84.29% respectively.
- (c) : Yes, Sir.
- (d) and (e) : CBSE has a proposal to host the previous years question papers in Urdu medium on its website.