GOVERNMENT OF INDIA HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3534 ANSWERED ON:01.12.2010 CHANGE IN SYLLABUS Ray Shri Rudramadhab

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

- (a) whether the CBSE has recently changed the syllabus and textbooks for class 9th and 10th;
- (b) if so, the details thereof and the reasons therefor;
- (c) whether the frequent change of syllabus has brought desired results for teachers and students; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

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

- (a) and (b): The Central Board of Secondary Education (CBSE) adopts the syllabi formulated by NCERT and prescribes textbooks prepared by NCERT for class IX to XII except in subjects for which CBSE has developed its own course material. NCERT revised syllabi for all classes based on the National Curriculum Frame Work 2005 and new text books were prepared and published by NCERT for all classes from I to XII in three phases, between 2006-07 and 2008-09.
- (c) and (d): The syllabi and textbooks are changed only periodically whenever the National Curriculum Framework is revised.