

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

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:4748
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CHILDREN NOT GETTING EDUCATION
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Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of children in the country who are not getting education even today;
- (b) whether any assessment of the number of children not getting education in the country has been got done from any Government or Non-Governmental Organization;
- (c) if so, whether any financial assistance has been provided to the said organization(s) for this purpose; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

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

(a) to (d) As per national sample survey conducted in 2009 through Social & Rural Research Institute (SRI) – a unit of International Marketing Research Bureau (IMRB), the number of out of school children in the age group of 6-14 years is 81.5 lakhs.

As amount of Rs. 1,21,16,002/- was paid to M/s Social & Rural Research Institute, New Delhi for conducting the survey.