

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

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NGOS IN LITERACY MISSION  
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**Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether the Government has sanctioned the National Literacy Mission proposals of the Non-Governmental Organisations (NGOs) during the last three years;
- (b) if so, the amount provided for the said purpose during the said period, State-wise and NGO-wise;
- (c) whether the Government has reviewed the working of these NGOs;
- (d) if so, the outcome thereof; and
- (e) the reaction of the Government thereto?

**Answer**

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

- (a) The number of projects sanctioned to Non- Governmental Organisations (state-wise) during the last three years is enclosed as Annexure I.
- (b) The amount provided to Non- Governmental Organisations State-wise and NGO- wise during the last three years is enclosed as Annexure.II.
- (c) to (e): Review of functioning of NGOs is undertaken periodically by the National Literacy Mission Authority internally as well as through third party evaluation. The reviews have shown that the system of monitoring of performance requires further strengthening; financial norms need to be adhered to scrupulously; there is a need to develop capacity building of staff; adequate infrastructure needs to be available to carry out assigned roles; and their activities need to be demand led and relevant to the core beneficiaries of the scheme.