

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINORITY AFFAIRS  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2405  
ANSWERED ON:10.03.2011  
EDUCATIONAL SCHOLARSHIPS TO ANGLO-INDIAN COMMUNITY  
Dias Dr. Charles

**Will the Minister of MINORITY AFFAIRS be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether the Government has received any proposal from the Anglo-Indian community to consider them separately for the grant of educational scholarships issued by the Government;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the action taken by the Government thereon?

**Answer**

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF MINORITY AFFAIRS (VINCENT H. PALA)

- (a) No, Madam. However, eligible number of Anglo-Indians belonging to religious minorities notified under Section 2 (c) of National Commission for Minorities (NCM) Act, are considered for grant of scholarships under various schemes of the Ministry.
- (b) and (c) Do not arise in view of (a) above.