

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

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EXORBITANT FEES BY PRIVATE SCHOOLS
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Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the private schools are charging exorbitant fees from the students thereby depriving the poor children to get quality education;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether the Government is considering to provide a cap on tuition fees charged by the schools, including primary schools; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

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

(a) & (b) : Central Board of Secondary Education (CBSE) has been receiving such complaints. 17 such complaints were received during 2010-11.

(c) & (d) : Tuition fees charged in CBSE affiliated schools has to be in conformity with the Affiliation Bye-Laws of CBSE.