

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

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

- (a) whether there is a proposal to establish smart schools in the country; and
- (b) if so, the details and the present status thereof, State- wise?

Answer

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

(a): Yes, Sir.

(b): Under the revised Centrally Sponsored Scheme "Information & Communication Technology in Schools", there is a provision to establish 150 smart schools in the country. A sum of Rs.25.00 Lakh is provided to States/UTs to establish each smart school. 59 Smart Schools in 11 States and 3 UTs have been cleared so far. The State-wise details are given in the annexure.