

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINORITY AFFAIRS  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:4432  
ANSWERED ON:03.05.2012  
DIVERSION OF FUNDS MEANT FOR SCHOLARSHIPS MESS CHARGES  
Dhruvanarayana Shri R.

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

- (a) whether some State Governments have suppressed and diverted the funds which are sanctioned and released for the minority communities meant for scholarships/mess charges;
- (b) if so, the details thereof and the reasons therefor; and
- (c) the steps being taken by the Union Government to avoid such situation in future?

**Answer**

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

- (a): No, Madam.
- (b) & (c): Do not arise.