## GOVERNMENT OF INDIA HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:4005 ANSWERED ON:05.09.2012 JALMANI SCHEME Ananth Kumar Shri

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

(a) whether the Union Government has received any proposal from the Government of Karnataka for 10,000 rural schools under the Jalmani Project;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the action taken by the Government in this regard?

## Answer

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

(a) to (c) Jalmani scheme was launched in the year 2008-09 as 100% Centrally Sponsored scheme with the objective of providing safe and clean drinking water to the children studying in 1 lakh water-deficient-rural schools. Located in areas having bacteriological contamination, turbidity and iron problems. Under the programme funds to the tune of Rs. 200 crore was released on 100% central assistance basis to States during 2008-09 and 2009-10 to install standalone water purification system in these schools. No allocations have been made under Jalmani thereafter.

Government of Karnataka was allocated Rs. 708.49 lakh for coverage of 6143 schools. Against this as reported by the State Government of Karnataka on the Integrated Management Information System (IMIS) of the Ministry as on 31.08.2012, 10,869 schools have been covered.