

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

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CONSTRUCTION OF GIRL HOSTELS  
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**Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether the Union Government has received any proposals from the State Governments including Karnataka for construction of hostels for girl students with the objective of increasing the number of girl students in the educationally backward areas of the States;
- (b) if so, the details thereof along with the present status of these proposals, State-wise; and
- (c) the number of girl students likely to be accommodated in each hostel and the amount of money likely to be spent on the construction of each hostel?

**Answer**

MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SMT. SMRITI ZUBIN IRANI)

(a)&(b): Yes, Madam. The State-wise detail of proposals received for construction of Girls' Hostels including that of Karnataka is Annexed.

(c): The Girls' Hostel Scheme provides for construction of one hostel with the capacity of 100 girls in each of the Educationally Backward Blocks across the country on the basis of State Schedule of Rates, subject to adherence of minimum specifications laid down in the Scheme.