

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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SHORTAGE OF TEACHERS IN MODEL SCHOOLS
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Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) whether a shortage of Physics, Chemistry and Mathematics teachers is still prevalent in science faculty of Model Schools due to such schools being located in far-flung areas;
- (b) if so, the number of vacant posts of teachers in model schools in the country including Rajasthan, State-wise;
- (c) whether the Government is contemplating to launch Satcom coaching scheme to fulfil the shortage of teachers in these schools; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof and the time limit fixed under this scheme to connect all model schools in the country especially Rajasthan?

Answer

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

(a) to (d): Under the Centrally sponsored scheme of the Model Schools, implemented through States/UTs, schools from classes VI to XII are being set up in Educationally Backward Blocks, located at block headquarters subject to availability of land. The Scheme provides for appointment of teachers whose recruitment is done in accordance with terms and conditions of States/UTs. Details of posts of teachers to be filled up, in the model schools that are functional in the country, including Rajasthan, is annexed.