

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

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SHORTAGE OF CLASS ROOMS
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Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) whether there is shortage of class rooms in proportion to the number of students in schools located in various parts of the country;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the time by which adequate number of rooms on the basis of number of students are likely to be constructed?

Answer

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

(a) to (c): As per Unified District Information System for Education (UDISE) 2013-14 the overall Student Classroom Ratio (SCR) in elementary education is 28. Till 2014-15, 18.57 lakh additional classrooms have been sanctioned to States/UTs under Sarva Shiksha Abhiyan (SSA) programme and 51,750 under the Rashtriya Madhyamik Shiksha Abhiyan (RMSA) programme, to improve SCR in deficit areas.