

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

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UPGRADATION OF PRIMARY AND SECONDARY SCHOOLS
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Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has any proposal with regard to the upgradation of the primary and secondary schools in the country including Chhattisgarh;
- (b) if so, the details there, State-wise; and
- (c) the amount of funds likely to be spent under this scheme?

Answer

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

(a) to (c): Upgradation of schools to upper primary and secondary level are done as per norms, under the Sarva Shiksha Abhiyan and Rashtriya Madhyamik Shiksha Abhiyan(RMSA) schemes respectively. State' proposals for the purpose are assessed on the basis of past performance and fund utilization.

Under RMSA, proposals from the State Government of Chhattisgarh for upgradation of 58 residential upper primary schools to secondary schools has been approved during 2015-16, By adding for Class IX in each of the schools. The details of upgradation of primary to upper primary and upper primary to secondary schools, State-wise, upto 2014-15 are, at Annexure-I.