GOVERNMENT OF INDIA SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT LOK SABHA

STARRED QUESTION NO:229 ANSWERED ON:10.05.2016 Special Education for Differently Abled Children Khaire Shri Chandrakant Bhaurao

Will the Minister of SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of National Institutes facilitating/providing special education for blind, deaf, dumb and mentally challenged children in the country:
- (b) the details of facilities provided by the said Institutes along with the number of such children availing the benefits at present;
- (c) the amount allocated to such Institutes and funds utilized in this regard during each of the last three years, institution-wise;
- (d) whether facilities are inadequate to cater to the needs of special education for all the eligible children and if so, the details thereof indicating the number of such children yet to be covered; and
- (e) the corrective steps being taken to provide special education to all eligible children?

Answer