

क्र.सं०	राज्य/संघ राज्य क्षेत्र का नाम	केन्द्रीय विद्यालयों की संख्या
23.	अंडमान व निकोबार द्वीपसमूह	03
24.	अरुणाचल प्रदेश	09
25.	चंडीगढ़	05
26.	दिल्ली	35
27.	गोवा, द्वीव दमन	05
28.	पांडिचेरी	02
29.	पिजोरम	01
योग:		874
भारत के बाहर		
30.	मास्को (रूस)	01
31.	नेपाल (काठमांडू)	01
योग:		876

**UGC recommendation regarding creation of post of selection grade reader**

1119. SHRI KARNENDU BHATTACHARJEE: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government will make the benefits of selection grade Readers, a new rank created in fresh UGC recommendations, available to college teachers, for the sake of justice; and

(b) whether Government have ensured the implementation of the new pay-scale in all the States simultaneously to avoid any uncalled for development of a situation of strikes or class boycott by teachers in some States because of non-implementation or delay in the implementation of new pay scales?

THE MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (DR. MURLI MANOHAR JOSHI): (a) The Government had announced certain pay-structure for the Teachers of Universities

and Colleges, including a new Selection Grade for Readers. However, the Government have received representations from the various teachers' associations against the announced pay-structure as also certain directions from the Delhi High Court for a re-consideration.

(b) Decision on implementation of the Scheme of revision of pay scales has to be taken by the concerned State Governments. As in the past, Central Government will consider the financial assistance if the Scheme is adopted by the State Governments.

**Standard of Indian sportspersons**

1120. SHRI JALALUDIN ANSARI: SHRI GURUDAS DAS GUPTA:

Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the performance of Indian players and athletes participating in the international events is not satisfactory; and

(b) if so, the steps proposed to be taken to improve the standard of the Indian sports-persons?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SUSHREE UMA BHARATI): (a) Yes, Sir. It is a fact that performance of Indian Players, in International events in some disciplines is found not quite satisfactory, though in some others our players and athletes have performed well in the International events.

(b) The process of improving the standard of sportspersons is an on-going process and is undertaken in consultation with Sports Authority of India (SAI) and the concerned National Sports Federations (NSFs) as part of Long Term Development Plans (LTDP). The Department is providing requisite assistance to the National Sports Federations in their efforts to prepare Indian teams and sportspersons by way of financial, technical and infrastructural support for foreign