

(c) the steps initiated to meet fully the objectives envisaged under the Sarva Shiksha Abhiyan, not only in numbers, but also in the quality of education imparted?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRIMATI D. PURANDESWARI): (a) Yes, Madam.

(b) and (c) Under Sarva Shiksha Abhiyan, several activities have been undertaken to improve the quality of elementary education and enhance learning achievement levels of students. This includes recruitment of about 7.9 lakh additional teachers to improve the pupil teacher ratio, in-service training of teachers for a period of 20 days each year, free distribution of textbooks for primary and upper primary classes to about 6.3 crore SC, ST & girl students, regular academic support to primary and upper primary schools through 6700 Block Resource Centres (BRCs) and 66000 Cluster Resource Centres (CRCs), regular evaluation of students and monitoring of school performance.

Amount increased for Sarva Shiksha Abhiyan

779. SHRI DWIJENDRA NATH SHARMAH: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the details of amount increased by Government for various States under Sarva Shiksha Abhiyan in the country during 2007-08;

(b) the details of achievements made under the Scheme; and

(c) the corrective steps taken by Government in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRIMATI D. PURANDESWARI): (a), The amounts for which the Annual Work Plan & Budgets 2007-08 have been approved by Government of India (GoI) for States/Union Territories (UTs) under Sarva Shiksha Abhiyan (SSA) is given in the Statement (See below).

(b) Achievements made under SSA for key components are given below:

Sl. No.	Items	Cumulative Targets including 2006-07	Achievements (upto 31.3.2007)	
1	2	3	4	5
1.	Construction of school buildings	183461	Completed & in Progress	157516 (85.85%)
2.	Construction of additional classrooms	692678	Completed & in Progress	650442 (93.90%)
3.	Drinking water facilities	170267	Completed & in Progress	158361 (93.01 %)
4.	Construction of Toilets	235041	Completed & in Progress	203577 (86.61 %)

1	2	3	4	5
5.	Opening of New Schools	24007	Completed	193220 (80%)
6.	Teacher appointment	10.12 lakh	Completed	7.95 lakh (78%)
7.	Supply of Free Textbooks	26.69 crore	Supplied	6.40 cr. (96%)
8.	Teacher training	3405615	Completed	2952395 (87%)
9.	Enrolment in EGS/AIE Centres	12689299 children	Completed	69 lakh (54%)

(c) Gol has established a comprehensive monitoring system to track progress of SSA in the States/UTs.

Statement

State-wise outlay approved under Sarva Shiksha Abhiyan for year 2007-08.

(Rupees in lakhs)

Sl. No.	States/UTs	Outlay approved
1	2	3
1	Andhra Pradesh	124607.30
2	Arunachal Pradesh	6085.46
3	Assam	62138.49
4	Bihar	333929.73
5	Chhattisgarh	78478.28
6	Goa	1662.82
7	Gujarat	37970.11
8	Haryana	35706.6
9	Himachal Pradesh	12198.37
10	J & K	32151.79
11	Jharkhand	132192
12	Karnataka	69746
13	Kerala	15956.39
14	Madhya Pradesh	179824.44
15	Maharashtra	89523.47

1	2	3
16	Manipur	3683.85
17	Meghalaya	9785.4
18	Mizoram	2605.72
19	Nagaland	1997.78
20	Orissa	108844.48
21	Punjab	18488.50
22	Rajasthan	159999.35
23	Sikkim	1580.42
24	Tamil Nadu	70271.11
25	Tripura	3031.65
26	Uttar Pradesh	344219.38
27	Uttaranchal	25283.55
28	West Bengal	143876.18
29	Andaman & N. Islands	929.186
30	Chandigarh	1953.69
31	Dadra & N. Haveli	794.39
32	Daman & Diu	258.258
33	Delhi	5234.32
34	Lakshadweep	235.17
35	Pondicherry	893.5

IIT golden jubilee campus in Gujarat

780. SHRI KESHUBHAI S. PATEL:

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

(a) whether Government had received any proposal for setting up of Indian Institute of Technology Golden Jubilee Campus in Gujarat;

(b) whether the proposal was disapproved by Government; and

(c) if so, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRIMATI D. PURANDESWARI): (a) to (c) Yes, Sir. However, Government have taken a decision that establishment of large satellite campuses with regular Bachelors and Master programmes amounts to setting up of new Indian Institutes of Technology (IITs) and should be avoided. Government, however, have