GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF EDUCATION
DEPARTMENT OF HIGHER EDUCATION
RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION No.1626
ANSWERED ON 21.12.2022

STUDENT ADMISSION IN UNIVERSITIES UNDER EWS CATEGORY

1626. SHRI M. MOHAMED ABDULLA:

Will the Minister of *Education* be pleased to state:

(a) the details of number of students who got admission in the Central Universities under Economically Weaker Section (EWS) reservation for the last two years, State-wise; and

(b) whether it is fact that the EWS category cut-off is less than General category for the last two years in Central Universities and if so, the reasons therefor?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF EDUCATION
(DR. SUBHAS SARKAR)

(a) State-wise details of number of students who got admission in the Central Universities under Economically Weaker Section (EWS) reservation during the years 2021 and 2022 are annexed.

(b) Ministry of Education has issued instructions from time to time to all Central Universities for implementation of SC/ST/PWD/OBC and EWS Reservation Policy of the Government. Further, the Central Universities are autonomous institutions which are governed by the Universities' own Acts and Statutes, Ordinances and Regulations made thereunder and are competent to take all administrative decisions. Cut-offs are decided by the Universities keeping in mind the Reservation Policy, and no data is maintained centrally.

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Annexure referred to in reply to part (a) of Rajya Sabha Unstarred Question No.1626 for answer on 21.12.2022 asked by Shri M. Mohamed Abdulla, Hon'ble Member of Parliament regarding Student admission in Universities under EWS category.

S. No	Name of State	Total Students Enrolment against EWS Quota during 2021	Total Students Enrolment against EWS Quota during 2022
1	ANDHRA PRADESH	106	122
2	BIHAR	354	540
3	CHHATTISGARH	372	572
4	DELHI	613	1521
5	GUJARAT	55	96
6	HARYANA	280	367
7	HIMACHAL PRADESH	65	149
8	JAMMU	62	98
9	KASHMIR	41	64
10	JHARKHAND	101	99
11	KARNATAKA	56	765
12	KERALA	126	117
13	MADHYA PRADESH	607	1044
14	MAHARASHTRA	80	111
15	ODISHA	34	57
16	PUNJAB	131	172
17	PONDICHERRY	192	324
18	RAJASTHAN	169	226
19	TAMIL NADU	60	94
20	TELANGANA	518	685
21	UTTARKHAND	22	22
22	UTTAR PRADESH	2082	2745
23	WEST BENGAL	14	14
24	ASSAM	196	364
25	ARUNACHAL PRADESH	28	68
26	MANIPUR	8	9
27	MEGHALAYA	83	88
28	MIZORAM	29	42
29	NAGALAND	4	9
30	SIKKIM	72	100
31	TRIPURA	78	116
	TOTAL	**6638**	**10800**