

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

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:874
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MID- DAY MEAL SCHEME
Majhi Shri Parsuram

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

- (a) Whether the Mid-day-Meal scheme has not been effectively implemented in the various parts/districts of the country particularly in KBK districts in Orissa;
- (b) if so, the reasons therefor; and
- (c) the steps taken to revamp the working of the mid-day meal scheme in those districts particularly in Orissa?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI M.A.A. FATMI)

(a), (b) & (c): As per available information, Cooked Mid-Day Meal Programme has been universalized by all States & UTs, including KBK districts of Orissa, except Bihar & West Bengal. As Mid-Day Meal Scheme is being implemented through State Governments, they are being constantly urged to take appropriate action for effective implementation.