GOVERNMENT OF INDIA HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT LOK SABHA

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

- (a) whether the Government proposes to introduce uniform curriculum in all schools across the country;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the steps taken/proposed to be taken by the Government in this regard?

Answer

MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRIMATI SMRITI ZUBIN IRANI)

(a) to (c) The National Curriculum Framework (NCF), 2005 sets the guidelines and direction for syllabi and textbooks for all stages of school education. Schools affiliated to the Central Board of Secondary Education (CBSE) follow the NCERT syllabus and textbooks. However, States through their State Councils of Educational Research and Training (SCERTs) or State Boards develop & adopt their own textbooks. Most of the States have already revised their own curriculum in accordance with the NCF 2005.