

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT  
DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL EDUCATION & LITERACY**

**LOK SABHA**

**STARRED QUESTION No.402  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 22.07.2019**

**Regulation of School Fees**

**\*402. DR. M.K. VISHNU PRASAD:  
SHRI PRATAPRAO PATIL CHIKHLIKAR:**

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

- (a) whether the Government has received several suggestions regarding regulation of school fees in the country;
- (b) if so, the details thereof and the response of the Government in this regard; and
- (c) whether the Government has fixed any time limit for implementation of the new National Education Policy (NEP) and if so, the details thereof?

**ANSWER**

**MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT**

**(SHRI RAMESH POKHRIYAL 'NISHANK')**

(a) to (c): A statement is laid on the Table of the House.

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**STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO THE PARTS (a) TO (c) OF LOK SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO.402 FOR ANSWER ON 22.07.2019 ASKED BY DR. M.K. VISHNU PRASAD AND SHRI PRATAPRAO PATIL CHIKHLIKAR, Hon'ble MP, LOK SABHA REGARDING REGULATION OF SCHOOL FEES.**

(a) and (b): Education is a subject in the Concurrent List of the Constitutions and majority of schools are under the jurisdiction of the State Government. Thus, the matter relating to fees and its components in schools are regulated in terms of Rules and Instructions of the State Government concerned. The Government has undertaken a detailed exercise in formulating a New Education Policy (NEP) and the Committee for the Draft NEP under the Chairmanship of Dr. K. Kasturirangan has submitted its report to the Ministry on 31<sup>st</sup> May 2019. Draft NEP 2019 has been uploaded on MHRD website and also at [innovate.mygov.in](http://innovate.mygov.in) platform to elicit suggestions/ comments from all stakeholders. Suggestions/comments on various aspects of education are being received in the Ministry from the various stakeholders including the public, Government of India Ministries, State Governments, Hon'ble MPs, organizations etc. The Government will finalize the National Education Policy only after considering the inputs/ suggestions and comments of all stakeholders.

(c): No, Sir.

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