

PUNAJB VIDHAN SABHA SECRETARIAT

Unstarred Questions

**TO BE ASKED AT THE MEETING OF THE PUNJAB VIDHAN SABHA TO BE HELD ON
Friday, the 5th March, 2021**

Awarding of best book award by Language Department

540. **Sardar Kultar Singh Sandhwan, M.L.A.:-** Will the Higher Education and Languages Minister be pleased to state:-
- whether it is a fact that a decision had been made to award 18 writers for the year 2015 and 8 for the year 2016 for the best awards by the Language Dept. of Punjab which has not been given for many years due to financial crisis;
 - if reply to part (a) above be in the affirmative whether the State Govt. could not release even a meager amount of Rs. 5.25 lakh then whereby the Punjabi language will be promoted;
 - whether it is also a fact that no selection has been done for the year 2017, 2018 and 2019 till date; if so, the reasons therefore alongwith the time by which the same would be awarded after selection?

Inclination towards Canada of the students of rural area

541. **Sardar Kultar Singh Sandhwan, M.L.A.:-** Will the Higher Education Minister be pleased to state:-
- whether it is a fact that 78% students are going to Canada according to a study conducted in respect of 540 students taking coaching from IELTS centers of Malwa region by two Professors of Punjabi University who all are related to rural area and farming;
 - whether is it not the cause of agriculture crisis, less employment for livelihood, spread of drugs and wide spread anarchy in the governance of State; if so, the steps being taken by the Govt. regarding the same?

Increasing the area of mustard crop to meet the demand of mustard oil

542. **Sardar Kultar Singh Sandhwan, M.L.A.:-** Will the Chief Minister be pleased to state:-
- whether it is a fact that the area under mustard crop has declined drastically and 2100 acres were required for cultivation of mustard in district Faridkot alone but only 400 acres have been planted;
 - if reply to part (a) above be in the affirmative whether the same has happened due to not fixing the minimum support price of mustard crop and improper marketing;
 - the efforts being made by the State Govt. to increase the area of mustard crop to meet the demand of mustard oil?

To get 30 feet long drain repaired near Bhai Ghanaiya Chowk of Faridkot

543. **Sardar Kultar Singh Sandhwan, M.L.A.:-** Will the Local Govt. Minister be pleased to state:-
- whether it is a fact that lakhs of rupees are spent by the Nagar Council by laying slabs every year since the past 20 years on 30 feet long drain near Bhai Ghanaiya Chowk at Faridkot but despite all this it is in a dilapidated condition;
 - if reply to part (a) above be in the affirmative, whether the slabs laid on the above said drains are not as per the standard, why action was not taken against the concerned technical staff and contractor;
 - the time by which the repair of the said 30 feet long drain is likely to be done by the State Govt. so that the people can get relief?

To provide amount to beneficiaries of Budhlada under Shagun Scheme

569. **Shri Budh Ram, M.L.A.:-** Will the Social Justice, Empowerment and Minorities Minister be pleased to state whether it is a fact that amount given under Shagun Scheme has not been given by the Government for the past one year in Budhlada; if so, the time by which this amount is likely to be released to all the beneficiaries (up to date)?

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To provide sewerage and water facility at Boha town of Budhlada

570. **Shri Budh Ram, M.L.A.:-** Will the Local Govt. Minister be pleased to state whether it is a fact that there is a colony named "Makhawal Tibba" in Boha town of Budhlada sub-division whereat there is neither any sewerage system nor any pipe for potable water is laid; if so, the time by which the facility of sewerage and water is likely to be provided by the department in this colony "Makhawal Tibba"?

To concretize Boha Distributary

571. **Shri Budh Ram, M.L.A.:-** Will the Water Resources Minister be pleased to state whether it is a fact that water is not released to the carrying capacity in Boha distributary of Budhlada sub-division due to which tail end villages Hakamwala, Bhisra, Chrohar, Dalelwala, Akkanwali, Joyia Tahlian, Mandhali are not getting water for irrigation nor the water works is getting potable water; if so, the time by which the government considers to concretize the Boha distributary?

To lay new rising main for releasing waste water

572. **Shri Budh Ram, M.L.A.:-** Will the Local Govt. Minister be pleased to state:-
(a) whether it is a fact that "Rising Main" is laid for carrying waste water at Budhlada from sewerage^s "Treatment Plant" to Ahmedpur Drain;
(b) whether this pipe which was laid to release waste water into drain and is damaged at several places is functioning to its capacity; if not, whether the Government is considering to lay new rising main?

Posts of lecturers in Polytechnic colleges

585. **Master Baldev Singh, M.L.A.:-** Will the Technical Education Minister be pleased:-
to state the college-wise number of sanctioned posts of Head of the Department, Senior lecturer and lecturer, separately, in Govt. Polytechnic colleges togetherwith the number of filled up and vacant posts out of the same alongwith the period since when the posts of direct recruitment are lying vacant and the time by which the appointments will be made against these posts?

Facility of labs regarding diploma courses

586. **Master Baldev Singh, M.L.A.:-** Will the Technical Education Minister be pleased to state:-
(a) the name of such diploma courses and colleges wherein the same are being run but the labs of the same are not available so far in the concerned colleges togetherwith the time by which the same will be established;
(b) whether the machines worth crores of rupees are lying non-functional in the absence of repair; if so, the time within which the repair of the these will be done?

Approval for opening private Polytechnic college

587. **Master Baldev Singh, M.L.A.:-** Will the Technical Education Minister be pleased to state the date since when the approval to open private Polytechnic college was given by the Govt., at first?

Machines regarding syllabus of Diploma Courses

588. **Master Baldev Singh, M.L.A.:-** Will the Technical Education Minister be pleased to state the date on which the syllabus of diploma courses was revised last time togetherwith the details of the machines of workshop which were in the syllabus after revision of the same but now have been excluded from the syllabus togetherwith the average cost of said machines (average cost of each machine) separately and whether these machines are available with Private colleges?

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