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Nationalisation of private primary schools ruled out

Leader of the House Prime Minister Kazi Zafar Ahmed on Monday said the government was aware of the problems of the registered private primary schools but ruled out the nationalisation of these schools at present, reports BSS.

It is not possible for the government to bear such a big responsibility at the moment but we would extend other possible assistance to the teachers of these schools, he told the Jatiya Sangsad responding to a resolution from Mian Abbasuddin (Copper Bagerhat).

Mr. Dabiruddin Joarder (Copper Jheneidah) moved the resolution in the absence of Mr. Abbasuddin.

The Prime Minister, who is in charge of Education Ministry, referred to the contribution of the present government in the field of education and said it was President Ershad who had taken the momentous decision of making primary education compulsory in the country.

Tracing the history of primary education in the country in different phases in the past, he said none could take the bold decision of making education compulsory at the primary level.