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#### Privatisation of higher education

1470. DR. RATNAKAR PANDEY: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state whether Government propose to bring any legislation for the privatisation of higher education in the country ; and if so, what are the details thereof ?

THE MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI ARJUN SINGH) : No such proposal is under consideration of the Government.

#### महिलाओं के अधिकारों के लिये आयुक्त

1471. श्री कपिल वर्मा : क्या मानव संसाधन विकास मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) क्या सरकार महिलाओं पर अत्याचारों की बढ़ती घटनाओं और उनके शोषण को ध्यान में रखकर शीघ्र ही महिला आयुक्त नियुक्त करने का विचार रखती है और क्या इन आयुक्तों की नियुक्ति प्रत्येक राज्य में किये जाने का भी विचार है; यदि हां तो कब तक ;

(ख) इस आयुक्त और राष्ट्रीय महिला आयोग के बीच क्या संबंध रहेंगे; और

(ग) क्या सरकार राष्ट्रीय महिला आयोग को संवैधानिक दर्जा देने का विचार रखती है; यदि हां तो कब तक और राष्ट्रीय महिला आयोग तथा संबंध आयुक्त ग्रामीण मंचलों में किस प्रकार कार्य करेंगे ।

मानव संसाधन विकास (युवा कार्य और खेल विभाग) मंत्रालय में राज्य मंत्री तथा मानव

संसाधन विकास मंत्रालय (महिला और बाल विकास) मंत्रालय में राज्य मंत्री का अतिरिक्त प्रभार (कुमारी ममता बनर्जी) : (क) से (ग) यह प्रस्ताव विचाराधीन है ।

#### Libraries and Information Centres

147. SHRI YASHWANT SINHA: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state :

(a) the details of the proposal for developing INFLIBNET in setting up of Libraries and information Centres in the country ; and

(b) the funds allocated for the purpose in the Eighth five year plan ?

THE MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI ARJUN SINGH) : (a) and (b) According to the information furnished by UGC, the Commission, in its meeting held on 25th March, 1992 considered a proposal for setting up Information and Library Network (INFLIBNET) and desired that in the 8th Plan the Programme may relate to the automation of libraries and related activities. The Commission further desired that the programme details and the financial implications of the project may be examined by a Committee. A sum of Rs. 25 lakhs has been provided for the programme in the Commission's Budget for 1992-93.

#### Speial dispensation of Chairman, Kendriya Vidyalayas

1473. SHRI SANGH PRIYA GAUTAM: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state :

(a) whether the matter of special dispensation regarding admission in Kendriya Vidyalayas was discussed in the Praliammentary Consultative Committee attached to the Minister in its recent meeting ; and

(b) if so, what are the details of discussion/decisions ?

THE MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI ARJUN SINGH): (a) Yes Sir.

(b) It was decided that a small group of members of the Consultative Committee should go into the matter and make its recommendations.

**New subject at Plus two level in Kendriya Vidyalayas**

1474. SHRI SANGH PRIYA GAUTAM: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state :

(a) the elective subjects that are taught in Kendriya Vidyalayas at plus two stage as also those taught in 1983 ;

(b) whether it is a fact that AIKVTa has demanded introduction of new and more elective subjects ; and

(c) if so, the reaction of Government thereto ?

THE MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI ARJUN SINGH) : (a) All the Kendriya Vidyalayas are affiliated to the Central Board of Secondary Education, New Delhi. The students, of Kendriya Vidyalayas at +2 stage appear in All India Senior School certificate examination, conducted by the Board. The scheme of 10 + 2 was introduced in Kendriya Vidyalayas w.e.f. July, 1975. The following subjects have been prescribed by Central Board of Secondary Education and followed in Kendriya Vidyalayas at stage.

**SCIENCE GROUP**

**Compulsory :**

- (a) Core Language (English or Hindi)
- (b) Socially Useful productive work

**Additional subject if offered**

**Electives :**

**1. Combination 1 :**

- (a) Physics
- (b) Chemistry
- (c) Maths

Biology or core language other than the one offered at 'a' above.

**Combination 2 :**

- (a) Physics
- (b) Chemistry
- (c) Biology

Maths or core language other than the one offered at 'a' above.

**COMMERCE GROUP**

- (a) Core Language (English or Hindi)
- (b) Socially useful productive work

**Electives :**

1. Principles and practices of advanced accountancy
2. Principles and practice of Commerce
3. Mathematics or core language other than that offered at (a) above.
4. Economics.

**HUMANITIES GROUP**

**Compulsory**

- (a) Core Language (English or Hindi)
- (b) SUPW

**Additional subject if offered**