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Department of Applied Mathematics of which the Institute is a part, nonrecurring grants of Rs. 1,05,000/- and recurring grant for the posts of one Professor, two Readers, one Lecturer and two Senior research fellowships.

Written Answers

Assistance for Research Projects of the Calcutta University

466. SHRI JAHARLAL BANERJEE: SHRI NABIN CHANDRA BURAGOHAIN:

Will the Minister of EDUCATION, SOCIAL WELFARE AND CULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that three separate research projects were submitted by one of the Professors of the applied Mathematics Department, Calcutta University, to the University Grants Commission for financial assistance;

(b) whether it is also a fact that after a lapse of two years the Uni-versity Grants Commission informed the said Professor to submit an integrated research project covering all the three separate projects; and

(c) if so, what are the reasons there-for?

THE MINISTER OF EDUCATION, SOCIAL WELFARE AND CULTURE (DR. PRATAP CHANDRA CHUNDER): (a) to (c) According to the information furnished by the University Grants Commission, in April, 1975, the Calcutta University submitted three research projects involving a total ex. penditure of Rs. 16.97 lakhs for assistance from the Commission. These were considered by the U.G.C. Panel in Mathematics in May, 1975 and it was decided that the projects may be referred to experts for evaluation. When the Panel met in September 1975, these proposals could not be considered because the expert's recommendations were not available. The Panels were reconstituted thereafter and the reconstituted Panel which met in November, 1976, decided that a Committee may visit the University to examine these proposals. A

Committee was accordingly constitu-ed and the University was informed of the same in December, 1976. On the advice of the Convener of the Panel, in January, 1977, the Principal Investigator was requested to formulate an integrated proposal to facilitate the Committee to examine it before visit, ing the universities.

विज्ञान के नये क्षेत्रों के लिये सहायता

*467. डा० लोकेश चन्द्र: क्या शिक्षा, समाज कल्याण तथा संस्कृति मंत्री यह वताने की कृपा करेंगे कि विज्ञान अध्ययन के नये क्षेत्रों अर्थात् नाभिकीय विज्ञान, और ऊर्जा तथा भूतापिक ऊर्जा के नयें अध्ययन के हेतु विश्वविद्यालय अनुदान आयोग द्वारा दी गई सहायता का ब्यौरा क्या है ?

Assistance for the new fields of sciences

467. DR. LOKESH CHANDRA: Will the Minister of EDUCATION, SOCIAL WELFARE AND CULTURE be pleased to state the details of the assistance given by the University Grants Commission for studies in new fields of science, namely, the nuclear science, solar energy and geothermal-power?]

शिक्षा, समाज कल्याण तथा संस्कृति मंत्री (डा० प्रताप चन्द्र चन्द्र) : विवरण संलग्न है ।

विवरण

विज्ञान के नये क्षेत्रों के लिए सहायता

विश्वविद्यालय अनुदान आयोग से प्राप्त सूचना के अनुसार, निम्तलिखित विश्व-विद्यालयों को नाभिकीय विज्ञान में अनुसंधान के लिए प्रमुख विभागीय सहायता दी गई है :---

अलीगढ़ मुस्लिन विश्वविद्यालय अनावती

उपस्कर 7,50,000 रुपये

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