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gross misappropriation in the purchases under the said scheme, and if so, the steps taken to stop such misappropriation;

(c) whether Government propose to order an investigation to find out the facts; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRIMATI KANTI SINGH): (a) During the last three years funds as indicated below were released to Uttar Pradesh for the Integrated Child Development Scheme.

Year	Rs. (in lakhs)
2002-03	13659.04
2003-04	19095.23
2004-05	23564.37

(b) No such case has come to the notice of the Department.

(c) and (d) Does not arise.

**Mahatma Gandhi Antarrashtriya Hindi University**

2681. SHRIMATI N.P. DURGA: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) when the Mahatma Gandhi Antarrashtriya Hindi University was established;

(b) the details of the research and teaching activities undertaken by the above university since its inception; and

(c) the details of the allocation made by his Ministry for this university since its inception, year-wise?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI MD. ALI ASHRAF FATMI): (a) Mahatma Gandhi Antarrashtriya Hindi University was established as a Central University in the year 1997 by an Act of Parliament.

(b) As per information received from the University, the teaching activities in the University were started in the year 2002 with two courses *viz.* MA

Hindi (Comparative Literature) and MA (Ahimsa and Peace Studies). Subsequently, other courses *viz.* MA (Women Studies), MA (Translation Technology), MA (Mass Media and Communication) and two M.Phil courses were started.

(c) Funds are allotted/released to the Universities by the University Grants Commission (UGC). The year-wise statement of Plan/Non-Plan grants released by the UGC to the University since its inception are as stated below:

(Rs. in lakhs)

Year	Plan	Non-Plan
1997-1998	29.00	-
1998-1999	100.00	-
1999-2000	50.00	-
2000-2001	300.00	-
2001-2002	665.75	-
2002-2003	500.00*	-
2003-2004	-	180.83
2004-2005	129.15	180.33

\* Rs. 450.00 lakhs as advance grant for Tenth Plan and Rs. 50.00 lakh towards Ninth Plan commitment.

#### Commissions under HRD

2682. SHRI VARINDER SINGH BAJWA: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the names of the Commissions working under the Administrative control of his Ministry at present;

(b) the composition of each such Commission indicating the date of their constitution and tenure of each member;

(c) the criteria laid down for nominating Chairperson and Members;

(d) the vacancies lying vacant in each of the Commission as on date;and