

**Bringing State Universities to the level of Central Institutions**

2850. SHRI V. VIJAYASAI REDDY: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the total number of Central universities, IITs, IIMs, subject-specific institutions, etc. which are funded by Government;

(b) the funds spent on such Government educational institutions of all types and categories in 2015-16;

(c) whether there is any effort to extend similar and parallel help to State Universities in the country;

(d) the steps proposed to bring all State Universities upto the same level as Central institutions; and

(e) whether lower standards and poor facilities at State Universities are impacting quality of education across the country?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (DR. MAHENDRA NATH PANDEY): (a) and (b) The details of Central Universities, IITs, IIMs, SPAs, NITs, IISERs and IISc. and funds allocated to them during the year 2015-16 are given as under:

Sl. No.	Institutions funded by Government and number of such institutes	Funds spent during 2015-16 (₹ in crores)
1	2	3
1.	Central Universities-40 Nos.	5621.37
2.	Indira Gandhi National Open University (IGNOU)-1 No.	107.33
3.	State Universities-159 Nos.	609.09
4.	Indian Institutes of Technology (IIT)-22 Nos.	4135.85
5.	Indian Institutes of Management (IIM)-19 Nos.	463.00
6.	School of Planning and Architecture (SPA)-3 Nos.	86.00
7.	National Institutes of Technology (NIT)-31 Nos. and Indian Institute of Engineering Science and Technology, Shibpur-1 No.	2577.65

1	2	3
8.	Indian Institutes of Science Education and Research (IISER)-6 Nos.	550.00
9.	Indian Institute of Sciences Bangalore (IISc)-1 No.	120.00

(c) to (e) No, Sir. The State Universities come under the domain of State Governments. However, University Grants Commission (UGC) provides General Development Assistance to State Universities eligible to receive Central assistance under Section 12-B of the UGC Act, 1956 for various purposes, for which guidelines are available on UGC website (<http://www.ugc.ac.in/>).

#### **Establishment of Higher Education Institutes in Madhya Pradesh**

†2851. SHRI MEGHRAJ JAIN: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the number of institutes having status equivalent to the Indian Institute of Management, Indian Institute of Technology and Indian Institute of Information Technology; State-wise;

(b) new institutes likely to be set up during the Twelfth Five Year Plan;

(c) whether such institutes are proposed to be set up in Madhya Pradesh within this Plan period; and

(d) if so, the details of the institutes established/proposed to be established?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (DR. MAHENDRA NATH PANDEY): (a) The existing Centrally Funded Technical Institutions State-wise is given in the Statement (*See below*).

(b) No more new institutes are proposed to be set up in the Twelfth Plan period.

(c) and (d) Do not arise.

† Original notice of the question was received in Hindi.