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**IIAS-DARPG INDIA CONFERENCE 2025**

**2369. SHRI LAHAR SINGH SIROYA:**  
**SHRI KESRIDEVSINH JHALA:**

Will the **PRIME MINISTER** be pleased to state:

- (a) the manner in which the participation of 58 countries in the IIAS-DARPG India Conference 2025 contributed to India's administrative reforms;
- (b) the manner in which the conference addressed the role of AI and digital transformation in governance;
- (c) whether there will be any follow-up training programmes or collaborations to enhance administrative capabilities;
- (d) if so, the details thereof; and
- (e) the action plan of Government for implementing the conference's recommendations?

**ANSWER**

**MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE PRIME MINISTER'S OFFICE  
(DR. JITENDRA SINGH)**

(a) to (e): As a Member State of the International Institute of Administrative Sciences, India hosted the IIAS-DARPG India Conference 2025 from February 10-14, 2025 on the theme "Next Generation Administrative Reforms: Empowering Citizens and Reaching the Last Mile". India brought out a seminal book publication under the IIAS publication series titled "Viksit Bharat@2047:Governance Transformed" to advance international knowledge creation and exchange in public administration. The Conference witnessed presentation of over 300 Research papers in Plenary/ Breakout sessions from delegates representing 58-member countries. A number of research papers focused on digital transformation in governance using AI, including papers from Indian delegates. This Conference is an academic multilateral forum for dissemination of knowledge.

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