

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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ANSWERED ON
REVIEW PANEL ON DEEMED UNIVERSITIES .

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Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state :-

- (a) whether the Review Panel on Deemed Universities has slammed Deemed University status of many Universities as they are run like private family business;
- (b) if so, the details in this regard and the reaction of Government to the findings of the panel; and
- (c) whether Government proposes to strip these Universities of Deemed University status?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT

(SMT. D. PURANDESWARI)

(a) to (c): The Government has constituted a Committee to review the functioning of the existing institutions 'deemed to be universities' to ensure that standards of higher education and research are maintained by such institutions so as to justify their continuance as institutions 'deemed to be universities'. The Review Committee has submitted its report, which is under active consideration of the Government.