

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF EDUCATION  
DEPARTMENT OF HIGHER EDUCATION**

**RAJYA SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 18  
ANSWERED ON 07/12/2022**

**Institutions of National Importance status to VSSUT, Burla, Sambalpur**

**18 Shri Sujeet Kumar**

Will the Minister of *Education* be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government is granting the status of Institutions of National Importance to Veer Surendra Sai University of Technology (VSSUT) Burla, Sambalpur; and

(b) if so, the details thereof?

**ANSWER**

**THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF EDUCATION**

**(DR. SUBHAS SARKAR)**

(a) and (b) : Veer Surendra Sai University of Technology (VSSUT), Burla, Sambalpur is a State University under the administrative control of the State Govt. of Odisha. The State Govt. of Odisha has not sent any proposal to Ministry of Education for granting Institute of National Importance (INI) status to VSSUT.

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