GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF CULTURE

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UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 19 TO BE ANSWERED ON 02.02.2023

ACADEMIC COURSES OFFERED BY INDIAN INSTITUTE OF HERITAGE

19# SHRI VINAY DINU TENDULKAR:

Will the Minister of CULTURE be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of the subjects for which the Certificate Course, Diploma Course, Graduate Degree Courses and Post-Graduate Degree Courses are being offered by the Indian Institute of Heritage, established by Government;
- (b) whether there is a dearth of human resources in the field of Museology in the country;
- (c) the criteria fixed for the qualified candidates in Museology and whether they would be employed as a permanent or temporary employees along with, the nature of honorarium proposed to be given to them; and
- (d) the number of job opportunities available to degree holders, diploma holders and certificate course holders, according to their qualifications?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF CULTURE, TOURISM AND DEVELOPMENT OF NORTH EASTERN REGION

(G. KRISHAN REDDY)

- (a) Government has decided to set up 'Indian Institute of Heritage' (IIH) as a Deemed to be University as per UGC (Institutions Deemed to be Universities) Resolutions, 2019 at Noida, Gautam Budha Nagar, Uttar Pradesh with the purpose of providing higher education and research in the fields of Indian heritage and its conservation. IIH will impart post graduate and research degree in History of Arts, Conservation, Museology, Archival Studies, Archaeology, Preventive Conservation, among others.
- (b) Yes, Sir.
- (c) Qualified candidates in Museology are employed in permanent or temporary positions as per the requirement of the organization. Honorarium is paid as per the rules of the organization concerned.
- (d) Job opportunities are available in various Museums all over India, Archaeological Survey of India and other Institutions / Government Organizations / Autonomous Bodies for degree holders/research scholars.