GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF EDUCATION DEPARTMENT OF HIGHER EDUCATION RAJYA SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3205 ANSWERED ON 29.03.2023

Appointment of the present Vice-Chancellor of Allahabad University

3205 # Shri Sanjay Singh:

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

- (a) whether one should have minimum 10 years of teaching experience as a Professor to get appointed for the post of Vice-Chancellor of a Central University;
- (b) whether present Vice-Chancellor of Allahabad University had obtained this eligibility on the last date of the advertisement for the post, the details thereof;
- (c) the Universities where the Vice-Chancellor has worked as Assistant Professor and Professor and details of advertisement and Selection Committee interview on basis of which his appointment was made; and
- (d) whether any Committee has been constituted to conduct an inquiry against the present Vice Chancellor, if so, action taken in this regard so far?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF EDUCATION (DR. SUBHAS SARKAR)

- (a) As per the University Grants Commission (UGC) Regulation 2018, the person to be appointed as a Vice-Chancellor should be a distinguished academician, with a minimum of ten years' of experience as Professor in a University or ten years' of experience as a professor in a University or ten years' of experience in reputed research and/or academic administrative organisation with proof of having demonstrated academic leadership.
- (b) and (c) The present Vice-Chancellor of Allahabad University was appointed as Lecturer in 1989 in the same University. She was promoted as Professor under Career Advancement Scheme (CAS) from the date of eligibility on the recommendation of Selection Committee held on 04.10.2015. No advertisement is issued in such promotion. She had completed 10 years of service as Professor before the last date of advertisement for the post of Vice-Chancellor.
- (d) No inquiry committee has been constituted against the present Vice-Chancellor of Allahabad University.
