GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF COMMERCE & INDUSTRY DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRIAL POLICY & PROMOTION

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UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 4209. TO BE ANSWERED ON MONDAY, THE 12TH DECEMBER, 2016.

SETTING UP OF NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF DESIGN

4209. SHRI Y.S. AVINASH REDDY:

Will the Minister of **COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY** be pleased to state: वाणिज्य एवं उद्योग मंत्री

- (a) whether the Government is planning to set up National Institute of Design at Amaravati, the new capital of Andhra Pradesh;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether the Government of Andhra Pradesh has been allotted suitable land for this purpose; and
- (d) the steps being taken by the Government to expedite the project?

ANSWER

वाणिज्य एवं उद्योग राज्यमंत्री (स्वतंत्र प्रभार)(श्रीमती निर्मला सीतारमण) THE MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) OF THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE & INDUSTRY (SHRIMATI NIRMALA SITHARAMAN)

(a) to (d): Yes, Madam. The Central Government has already sanctioned the National Institute of Design (NID). The academic session started last year in a temporary campus. The State Government of Andhra Pradesh has allotted 50 Acres land on lease basis in the Amaravati Capital Region vide letter dated 15th November 2016 for setting of the NID. National Buildings Construction Corporation Limited has been entrusted with the works relating to planning, designing & construction of NID.
