

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT
DEPARTMENT OF HIGHER EDUCATION**

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3945
TO BE ANSWERED ON 27.03.2017**

Functioning of AICTE

3945. SHRI P.K. BIJU:

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

- (a) whether the Government is taking any concrete steps to improve the functioning of All India Council for Technical Education (AICTE) in the light of the reported deteriorating standards of professional technical education in private sector;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether any steps are being considered to make a transparent mechanism at AICTE for recognition and monitoring of private institutions; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT

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(a) & (b): The Ministry of Human Resources Development vide its notification No. 1-19/2014-TS-II date 22.10.2014, constituted "All India Council for Technical Education Review Committee, to restructure & strengthen the Technical Education Sector" in the country under the Chairmanship of Shri. M.K. Kaw, Ex-Secretary, MHRD. Based on these recommendations, the AICTE has been restructured to meet the demands of student fraternity and technical institutions by promoting R&D, Vocational Education, Online Education, inclusivity and transparency.

(c) & (d): AICTE is implementing e-Governance procedure including online processes for approval of technical institutions for enhancing transparency and clarity.
