

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

**LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 479  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 6<sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY, 2017

**Renovation and Development**

479. SHRI K.C. VENUGOPAL:

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

- (a) whether the Government has taken any measures for the renovation and development of various Fine Arts colleges in the country and if so, the details thereof;
- (b) if so, whether the Government has received any proposal from the State Government of Kerala for the renovation and development of various Fine Arts colleges in the State;
- (c) if so, the details thereof; and
- (d) the steps taken by the Government in this regard?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT  
(DR. MAHENDRA NATH PANDEY)

(a): As informed by University Grants Commission (UGC), Fine Arts Colleges listed under Section 2(f) and 12(B) of UGC Act, 1956 and receive grant-in-aid from the State Government are eligible to receive financial assistance from UGC. The list of Fine Arts Colleges receiving financial assistance from UGC is given below:

S.No.	Name of College
1.	College of Fine Arts, Kumara Krupa Road, Bangalore
2.	MMK College of Visual Art, Corporation Garden, Gulbarga
3.	Vijaya College of Fine Arts, Gadag, Gadag District

4.	University College of Fine Arts & Music, Dharwad
5.	University College of Fine Arts for Women, Manasagangotri, Mysore
6.	Chamarajendra Academy of Visual Arts, Sayyaji Rao Road, Mysore
7.	Govt. College of Art & Craft, Lichubagan, Agartala, Tripura
8.	Bengal Fine Arts College, P.O. Chandrapara Bazar, North-24 Parganas, West Bengal
9.	Govt. Institute of Fine Arts, Dharam Mandir Road, Mahadji Park, Gwalior (M.P)
10.	Govt. Institute of Fine Arts, M.G Road, Indore (M.P)
11.	Govt. College of Arts and Craft, Kolkata
12.	The Indian College of Arts & Draftsmanship, Kolkata
13.	GES's Smt. M.R. Kshatriya Arts, Fine Arts, Babubhai Kapadia Commerce & Athawale-Kulkarni-Home Science, Mahila Mahavidalaya, Nashik
14.	S.V. College of Music & Dance, Tirupati
15.	Kalai Kaviri College of Fine Arts, Trichy

The Centrally Sponsored Scheme of Rashtriya Uchchar Shiksha Abhiyan (RUSA), under its component 7: Infrastructure Grants to Colleges also supports infrastructural development of institutions including Fine Arts Colleges under States/UTs. As on date one Fine Arts College viz Art & Craft College, Patna, Bihar has been approved under this component.

(b): As informed by UGC, no such proposal has been received by them from the State Government of Kerala.

(c) & (d): Does not arise in view of (b) above.

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