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

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.2345 TO BE ANSWERED ON 31st July, 2017

Salary Hike for Employees of Universities

2345. SHRI A. ANWHAR RAAJHAA: SHRI P. NAGARAJAN:

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

- (a) whether it is true that University Grants Commission (UGC) has recommended to the Union Government to increase the salary and allowances of teachers and staff working in colleges, universities and institutions run by the Centre and State Governments and if so, the details thereof;
- (b) whether the Government has accepted the recommendations made by the UGC and if so, the time by which it is likely to be implemented;
- (c) the total expenditure likely to be incurred and the total number of staff likely to be benefitted out of this;
- (d) whether the said salary hike likely to be applicable to the teachers and staff of private universities and colleges also and if so, the details thereof; and
- (e) if not, the reasons therefor?

ANSWER MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT

(DR. MAHENDRA NATH PANDEY)

(a) to (e): The University Grants Commission (UGC) had constituted a Pay Review Committee (PRC) for revision of pay of academic staff of Universities and Colleges. The report of the PRC along with its recommendations has been received by the Ministry. The report of the PRC has been examined by an Empowered Committee constituted by the Ministry. The recommendation of the Empowered Committee is under consideration of the Central Government.

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