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

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UNSTARRED QUESTION No. 2075 TO BE ANSWERED ON 1.1.2018

Implementation of MoU by University

2075. DR. KIRIT SOMAIYA:

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

- (a) whether the Jamia Millia Islamia University failed to implement the Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) signed between the Institute and three Palestinian Universities in 2015;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether the Government has asked reasons from the University for not implementing these MoUs; and
- (d) whether it was due to crunch of fund that these MoUs could not be implemented and if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (DR. SATYA PAL SINGH)

(a) to (d) No Madam. Jamia Millia Islamia (JMI) has informed that it is continuously engaged with three Palestinian Universities towards actualization of MoUs signed in October, 2015. The JMI has since communicated to all the three universities expressing its intent to host them in order to identify common areas of academic and research intents for sustained engagements under the aegis of the extant MoUs. The JMI has also kept the Embassy of Palestine, New Delhi in the loop for effective facilitation of delegations from partnering universities.
