

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT
DEPARTMENT OF HIGHER EDUCATION
LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.2712
TO BE ANSWERED ON 12.03.2018

Financial Assistance to Universities

†2712. SHRI SHARAD TRIPATHI:

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

- (a) the details of the requests and proposals of various State Governments along with Uttar Pradesh pending with the University Grants Commission to provide accreditation and financial assistance to universities and colleges;
- (b) the State-wise, year-wise and proposal-wise present status of these proposals; and
- (c) the time by which these proposals are likely to be approved?

ANSWER

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

(a) to (c): National Assessment and Accreditation Council (NAAC) has informed that it has revised the Accreditation and Assessment framework for Higher Educational Institutions (HEIs) in July, 2017. Consequently, two windows were opened for receipt of applications from HEIs. A total of 111 proposals were received in the first window starting from 10.08.2017 to 23.10.2017. This includes 3 proposals from Uttar Pradesh. Thereafter, the second window was opened from 21.12.2017 to 28.02.2018. A total of 554 applications have been recently received in the second window. This includes 34 recent proposals from Uttar Pradesh. NAAC has further informed that peer team visits are scheduled to commence from March, 2018 onwards. The financial assistance to these HEIs will be subjected to the outcome of NAAC Assessment and Accreditation.
