

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

LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION No.5672  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 02.04.2018

**Mandatory N.C.C. Training**

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

- (a) whether the Government proposes to make N.C.C. training mandatory for the students in all colleges of the country and if so, the details thereof;
- (b) whether the Government proposes to provide human resources for setting up of N.C.C. units in all such Government and private colleges where such units have not been set up; and
- (c) if so, the details thereof?

**ANSWER**

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

(a) to (c): No, Madam. However, the University Grants Commission (UGC) has requested the Vice-Chancellors of all the Universities to explore implementation of the National Cadet Corps (NCC) as an elective subject in their respective University curriculum. The objective of implementation of NCC as an elective subject in Universities is to focus on citizenship, patriotism and social and moral obligations of a person. It is also expected to enhance life and leadership skills of the cadets. Further, UGC provides financial support to Autonomous Colleges for introducing NCC as an elective subject with credit points.

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