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

### LOK SABHA STARRED QUESTION No.65 TO BE ANSWERED ON 23.07.2018

#### Strike by Students/Teaching Faculty

#### \*65. Dr. Thokchom Meinya:

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

- (a) whether the students and teaching faculty of the Manipur University are on strike for more than two months demanding the removal of the present Vice-Chancellor;
- (b) if so, the details thereof and the reasons therefor;
- (c) whether the Government has taken any steps to sort out the matter at the earliest in the interest of the broader academic careers of the students; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof?

#### ANSWER

## MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI PRAKASH JAVADEKAR)

(a) to (d): A Statement is laid on the Table of the House.

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) TO (d) OF THE LOK SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO 65 FOR 23.07.2018 ASKED BY DR. THOKCHOM MEINYA REGARDING STRIKE BY STUDENTS/TEACHING FACULTY

- (a) & (b): Manipur University Students' Union (MUSU) are on strike since 30.05.2018 for various demands. Manipur University Teachers Association (MUTA) joined the agitation from 11.06.2018.
- (c) & (d): The Ministry of Human Resource Development has constituted a Fact Finding Committee headed by former acting Chief Justice of Meghalaya High Court.

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