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Research Park at IIT, Hyderabad

1835. SHRI VENKATESH NETHA BORLAKUNTA:
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Will the Minister of **Education** be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has proposed to have a Research Park at Indian Institute of Technology (IIT), Hyderabad;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the details of the activities that are likely to be taken up in the above Research Park and the time by which this park likely to become functional?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF EDUCATION

(DR. SUBHAS SARKAR)

(a) to (c) : The Government had approved setting up of a Research Park at IIT Hyderabad (IITH) in the year 2017 at a cost of Rs. 75 crore. Research Park allows companies/ organizations to take space in its premises so as to interact with the Institute fraternity including students, research scholars, faculty, etc., to enable interaction of Academia and Industry. The Research Park started its operations from a temporary facility in 2018 and has begun operations from the permanent Technology Research Park (TRP) from 2022 onwards. A few companies that have been allotted space in the TRP building are as under-

- i. Plianto - Education software,
- ii. SIC - Suzuki Innovation Centre,
- iii. Dhruva Space – Microsatellite,
- iv. Wisig - 5G & Next Gen wireless,
- v. HC Robotics – Robotics,
- vi. Sigma HSE - UK-based pharma company,
- vii. Centre for Continued Education (CCE) - IITH - Skilled manpower training
- viii. Crystal Ball AI - Drones for various applications.
