

Government of India
Ministry of Education
Department of Higher Education
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LOK SABHA
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ANSWERED ON 07.08.2023

Allocation of Funds and Setting up of IITs/IIMs

2851. Dr. MAHESH SHARMA:
SHRI JAGDAMBIKA PAL:

Will the Minister of EDUCATION be pleased to state:

- (a) the total number of proposals received by this Ministry from the Government of Uttar Pradesh for approval and fund allocation during the last three years;
- (b) the number of proposals approved along with the number of proposals lying pending, district wise;
- (c) the reasons for pendency of proposals;
- (d) the time by which the Government is likely to accord approval to the pending proposals;
- (e) the number of new Indian Institutes of Technology (IITs);
- (f) whether the Government is planning to set up some more IIM/IIT like Higher Education Institutes in the country including Uttar Pradesh especially in Noida or Greater Noida;
- (g) if so, the details thereof, State-wise;
- (h) the funds allocated for the development of all these IITs; and
- (i) the time by which the above IITs are likely to be operational?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF EDUCATION

(Dr. SUBHAS SARKAR)

(a) to (d): On the basis of consolidated proposals received from the State of Uttar Pradesh, an amount of Rs.23.517 crore has been released to the State during last three years under the scheme of Rashtriya Uchchar Shiksha Abhiyan (RUSA). Further, an amount of Rs.496.59 crore has been released to the State under RUSA since their inception. No proposal of the State is pending with the Ministry under RUSA Scheme.

(e) to (i): In pursuance to the Budget Announcement 2014-15 and 2015-16, six new Indian Institute of Technology (IIT) have been established in the States / UTs of Andhra Pradesh (IIT Tirupati), Kerala (IIT Palakkad), Chhattisgarh (IIT Bhilai), Jammu & Kashmir (IIT Jammu), Goa (IIT Goa) and Karnataka (IIT Dharwad). In pursuance of budget announcement of FY 2015-16, Indian School of Mines was accorded status of IIT and was accordingly included in the Institute of Technology Act, 1961 in 2016. One IIM, Lucknow and two IITs i.e. IIT, Kanpur and IIT, BHU (Varanasi) are already functioning in the state of Uttar Pradesh. A regional campus of IIM Lucknow is also functioning at Noida, Uttar Pradesh. Further, a NIT at Prayagraj, two IIIT at Prayagraj & Lucknow and six Central Universities are also functioning in the State of Uttar Pradesh. An amount of Rs.6737.04 crore has been allotted for the development of new IITs. Under the overall direction of NEP 2020 which proposes multidisciplinary approach in Higher Education, a 500 bed Super specialist hospital and medical college to offer research based programme at intersection of technology and medicine, is planned at IIT, Kanpur with an estimated amount of Rs.650.00 crore.

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