

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

**LOK SABHA**

**UNSTARRED QUESTION No. 142  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 03.02.2020**

**Violence and Assaults**

**142. SHRI KODIKUNNIL SURESH:**

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

- (a) whether the Government is aware of the large scale violence and assault against students of Jawaharlal Nehru University;
- (b) if so, has the Government taken cognizance of the matter;
- (c) whether the Government has constituted a high level enquiry committee to investigate the matters pertaining to attacks against students in JNU and ascertain the veracity of allegations against the present Vice Chancellor about making preferential appointments made in various teaching posts in the university;
- (d) whether the government is aware of any reports of students being unable to register for the winter semester in JNU due to disruption of registration services for the upcoming academic session; and
- (e) if so, the details thereof?

**ANSWER**

**MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT  
(Shri Ramesh Pokhriyal 'Nishank')**

(a) to (e): An incident of violence in the campus of Jawaharlal Nehru University has been reported. University has informed that the Crime Branch of Delhi Police is investigating the matter. The registration process for Winter Semester 2020 without fine is going on smoothly.

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