

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT  
DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL EDUCATION & LITERACY**

**LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1684  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 2<sup>ND</sup> March, 2020**

**Integrated B.Ed. Programme**

**1684. SHRI V.K. SREEKANDAN:**

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

- (a) whether the Government has launched a four year integrated B.Ed. programme to improve teacher education;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether the Government is considering to choose 700 colleges as model teacher training institutions and one such college in every district; and
- (d) whether it is true that the Government is considering to review the outdated curriculum of teacher training?

**A N S W E R  
MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT  
(SHRI RAMESH POKHRIYAL 'NISHANK')**

(a) to (d) : Yes Sir, National Council for Teacher Education (NCTE) has notified Norms and Standards for four year integrated B.Ed. programme in gazette dated 29<sup>th</sup> March, 2019. After that, NCTE has invited applications from the eligible institutions online from 3<sup>rd</sup> June 2019 to 31<sup>st</sup> July, 2019. The model curriculum prepared for this course includes crucial aspects like Gender, Inclusive education, ICT, Yoga, Global Citizenship Education (GCED) and Health & Sanitation. The teaching specialization would primarily be for the primary levels and the secondary level.

A proposal has been submitted by NCTE to select and mentor model Teacher Education Institutes (TEIs), in the country.

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