GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF EDUCATION DEPARTMENT OF HIGHER EDUCATION

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 942 TO BE ANSWERED ON 29.07.2024

Courses in Aligarh Muslim University

942. SHRI KHALILUR RAHAMAN:

Will the Minister of EDUCATION be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government is aware that only three selected courses are taught at the Murshidabad campus of Aligarh Muslim University, if so, the details thereof;
- (b) whether the Government is considering to introduce more courses so that more students get opportunity of better education, if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) whether the Government is considering reservation of 10% seats in various courses for local students?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF EDUCATION (DR. SUKANTA MAJUMDAR)

- (a) Yes. At present, three courses namely BA LLB, MBA and B.Ed are being taught at Murshidabad campus of Aligarh Muslim University.
- (b) Aligarh Muslim University, a central autonomous statutory institution established under Aligarh Muslim University Act 1920, is governed by its own Act, Statute and Ordinances. The new courses are introduced in the University based on its own assessment of several factors including the need of the students and the society, availability of resources etc.
- (c) There is no proposal under consideration for grant of reservation of 10 % seats for local students.
