# GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY DEPARTMENT OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY LOK SABHA

### UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 475 ANSWERED ON 23/07/2025

#### IACS SMART CAMPUS AT BARUIPUR

#### **475. SHRI JAGANNATH SARKAR:**

Will the Minister of SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY be pleased to state:

- (a) the current status of the proposed IACS SMART Campus at Baruipur, including details on the construction progress, timelines and expected date of completion;
- (b) whether there have been delays or challenges in the development of the Baruipur campus, and if so, the reasons for such delays and the steps being taken to address them;
- (c) the details of the specific research and academic facilities that are available at the new IACS Campus and the manner in which these facilities will enhance the institution's ability to contribute to cutting-edge research and innovation; and
- (d) the details of budget allocated for the construction and development of the IACS Campus at Baruipur and the amount spent so far?

#### **ANSWER**

## MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) OF THE MINISTRY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY AND EARTH SCIENCES (DR. JITENDRA SINGH)

विज्ञान और प्रौद्योगिकी तथा पृथ्वी विज्ञान मंत्रालय के राज्य मंत्री (स्वतंत्र प्रभार) (डॉ. जितेंद्र सिंह)

- (a) The Department of Science & Technology has received only a concept note from Indian Association for Cultivation of Science (IACS) seeking in-principle approval for development of IACS SMART Campus at Baruipur. The said note is currently under evaluation for its feasibility.
- (b) to (d): Doesn't arise in view of (a) above.

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