

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

LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION No. 216

TO BE ANSWERED ON 30th NOVEMBER, 2015

Dispute over Universities

216. SHRI PRABHAKAR REDDY KOTHA:

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

- (a) whether it is a fact that the States of Andhra Pradesh and Telangana are disputing over the continuation of services of the Ambedkar Open University and Potti Sriramulu Telugu University;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether the Supreme Court has directed the centre to intervene into the matter and settle the dispute at the earliest and if so, the details thereof; and
- (d) the steps taken/being taken by the Government to settle the dispute?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT

(SMT. SMRITI ZUBIN IRANI)

- (a) & (b): The Ministry is not aware of any such dispute between the States of Andhra Pradesh and Telangana.
- (c) & (d): No, Madam; No such directions have been received in the Ministry.
