

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

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 217
TO BE ANSWERED ON 30.11.2015**

Reforms in Entrance Exam

217. SHRI M.B. RAJESH:

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

- (a) whether the Government has received the report of the core committee constituted by the Ministry to reform entrance examinations system;
- (b) if so, the details of the major recommendations of the committee;
- (c) whether the Government has accepted all the recommendations; and if so, the details thereof; and
- (d) the action taken/proposed to be taken by the Government to implement the recommendations including the time frame?

**ANSWER
MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT
(SMT. SMRITI ZUBIN IRANI)**

(a) to (d) : Based on the decision taken in the 49th meeting of the Council of IITs held on October 6, 2015 at IIT Bombay, Ministry of Human Resource Development constituted a Committee of six eminent persons under the Chairpersonship of Prof. Ashok Mishra, Chairman, Board of Governor, IIT Roorkee to review the current JEE System for admission in IITs. The Committee has submitted its report on November 5, 2015, which has been circulated to all IITs and also uploaded on the website of the Ministry for feedback/comments of stakeholders.

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Subject:- Lok Sabha Unstarred Question No. 217 for 30.11.2015 regarding “Reforms in Entrance Exam” asked by Shri M.B. Rajesh.

May please see Lok Sabha Unstarred Question No. 217 to be answered on 30.11.2015 regarding “Reforms in Entrance Exam” asked by Shri M.B. Rajesh. The text of the question is reproduced below:-

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

- (a) whether the Government has received the report of the core committee constituted by the Ministry to reform entrance examinations system;
- (b) if so, the details of the major recommendations of the committee;
- (c) whether the Government has accepted all the recommendations; and if so, the details thereof; and
- (d) the action taken/proposed to be taken by the Government to implement the recommendations including the time frame?

2. In this context, it is submitted that a Committee of six eminent persons under the Chairpersonship of Prof. Ashok Mishra, Chairperson, BoG, IIT Roorkee to review the current JEE System for admission into IITs has been constituted based on the decision taken in the 49th meeting of the IIT-Council held on 6.10.2015 at IIT-Bombay. The Committee has submitted its report on 5.11.2015 which is under examination in the Ministry. The report has been uploaded on MHRD website for discussion with the stakeholders and requested them to send their feedback/comments by 30.11.2015.

3. Based on the status explained in para-2 above, a draft reply to the above question has been attempted and placed on the file for approval of the Hon'ble HRM.

