

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

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3519
TO BE ANSWERED ON 21.12.2015**

Autonomy to IIMs

3519. SHRIMATI K. MARAGATHAM:

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

- (a) whether the Government had convened a meeting of Indian Institute of Management (IIM) directors to negotiate on some controversial provision of proposed bill that gives the Government sweeping powers over the premier institutions;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether the Government had also sought feedback on the said bill; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof?

**A N S W E R
MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT
(SMT. SMRITI ZUBIN IRANI)**

(a) & (b): A consultation meeting was held on 9th October, 2015 with the Directors of Indian Institutes of Management (IIMs) to discuss and get feedback on the provisions of the proposed IIM Bill.

(c) & (d): The draft Bill was earlier posted on the website of this Ministry and feedback was received from all stakeholders including general public suggesting changes in various provisions of the draft Bill.
