

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

LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3522
TO BE ANSWERED ON 21.12.2015

Campus of AMU

3522. SHRI BADRUDDIN AJMAL:

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

- (a) whether the Government has any proposal for opening of a campus of Aligarh Muslim University in Dhubri in the State of Assam;
- (b) if so, whether the Government has received proposal/demand from Assam Government and social/political groups in this regard;
- (c) if so, the details thereof;
- (d) the steps taken by the Government in this regard; and
- (e) if not, the reasons therefor?

ANSWER

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

(a) to (e): No, Madam. During the 12th Plan, the thrust is on strengthening the existing institutions rather than setting up new ones. Aligarh Muslim University (AMU) has also informed that the proposal for setting up of a campus of AMU in Assam was received which was not agreed to by the University Court after due deliberation.
