## GOVERNMENT OF INDIA DEPARTMENT OF SPACE

## LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3169

### **TO BE ANSWERED ON WEDNESDAY, MARCH 16, 2016**

#### **PARTICIPATION OF IIT/IIM STUDENTS IN SPACE RESEARCH**

#### 3169. SHRI KESHAV PRASAD MAURYA:

Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Department of Space proposes to include students of Indian Institutes of Technology (IITs) and the Indian Institutes of Management (IIMs) in its missions; and
- (b) if so, the details thereof?

#### ANSWER

# MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL, PG & PENSIONS AND IN THE PRIME MINISTER'S OFFICE

#### (DR. JITENDRA SINGH):

(a)&(b) Indian Space Research Organisation (ISRO) has set up Space Technology Cells at four IITs - Bombay, Kanpur, Kharagpur and Madras to carry out research activities in the areas of space technology and applications, wherein the PG and doctoral students contribute towards space research.

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