

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

LOK SABHA

**UNSTARRED QUESTION No. 2435
TO BE ANSWERED ON 09.05.2016**

Tribal University

2435. SHRI KESINENI NANI:

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

- (a) the status of plans to develop Tribal University by the Government in the State of Andhra Pradesh as mandated by the Andhra Pradesh Reorganisation Act;
- (b) whether any site has been finalized for setting up the university and if so, the details thereof;
- (c) if not, the reasons therefor;
- (d) the total number of students who would be admitted to the University;
- (e) the financial requirement for setting up of said university; and
- (f) the total number of courses offered by the Tribal University?

ANSWER

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

(a) to (f) In pursuance of Andhra Pradesh Re-organisation Act, 2014, the Central Government has decided to establish a Central Tribal University in the State of Andhra Pradesh. A site has already been finalised for this purpose in Ananthapur District of the State. Adequate funds would be released by the University Grants Commission in accordance with the requirement and phasing of establishment and construction activities. However, the total number of students and the courses will be decided by the University authorities, once established.
