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

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UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1287 TO BE ANSWERED ON 25.07.2016

Centre of AMU

1287. SHRI MD. BADARUDDOZA KHAN:

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

- (a) whether the Aligarh Muslim University (AMU) has set up one centre at Murshidabad in West Bengal;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether the Government has sanctioned any funds for the said centre;
- (d) if so, the details thereof along with the funds sanctioned;
- (e) whether the Government has already released the whole amount to the centre; and
- (f) if not, the reasons therefor and the time by which the remaining grant would be released?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (DR. MAHENDRA NATH PANDEY)

- (a) & (b): Yes, Madam. There is a Centre of Aligarh Muslim University (AMU) at Murshidabad, West Bengal, which was set up in 2010.
- (c) to (f): The University Grants Commission (UGC) has allocated an amount of Rs. 107.80 crore for this Centre and out of this, an amount of Rs. 60.00 crore has already been released. As informed by the UGC, release of remaining funds depends upon utilization of grants released earlier and submission of audited utilization certificate for it by Murshidabad Centre of AMU.
