

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

LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.3476
TO BE ANSWERED ON 8th AUGUST, 2016

Number of Surprise Checks

†3476. SHRI ALOK SANJAR:

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

- (a) the State-wise number of surprise checks conducted in various colleges during the last three years and the current year;
- (b) the State-wise number and names of the colleges found without basic infrastructure and other facilities; and
- (c) the action taken by the Government against such colleges?

ANSWER

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

(a) to (c): The University Grants Commission (UGC) has informed that it does not conduct surprise checks in colleges. However, it is mandatory for colleges affiliated to Universities to undergo assessment and accreditation by the bodies recognized by the UGC. The National assessment and Accreditation Council (NAAC) and National Board of Accreditation (NBA) are recognized by the UGC for conducting accreditation of Universities and colleges. Through the process of accreditation, a college can ascertain its strengths and weaknesses through an informed and participatory process.

It is incumbent upon Universities to appraise the infrastructure and other facilities in colleges for the purpose of affiliation and maintenance of standards.
