

Seventeenth Loksabha

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Title: Regarding release of funds for Aligarh Muslim University Centre, Kishanganj-laid.

DR. MOHAMMAD JAWED (KISHANGANJ): Aligarh Muslim University Centre, Kishanganj was established by the Government of India in 2013 in view of the shortage of educational institutions in Seemanchal region. The objective of the Centre is to provide higher educational facilities to the students of Kishanganj and its adjoining districts. In 2014, the UPA Government had allocated an amount of Rs.136.82 crore during XII Plan for establishment of Kishanganj Centre for students of Bihar against which only an amount of Rs.10 crore has been released. I request you to kindly release the remaining funds of Rs.126.82 crore as well as provide additional funds of Rs.200 crore for expansion of the Centre to introduce new courses, hostel facilities, better infrastructure, new research laboratories and other amenities for the students of Bihar.