

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF EDUCATION
DEPARTMENT OF HIGHER EDUCATION
LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.693
TO BE ANSWERED ON 12/12/2022

Promotion of Research in Regional Universities

693. SHRI INDRA HANG SUBBA:

Will the Minister of EDUCATION be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has any plan or existing policy to promote research in regional Universities to help students from villages and remote districts;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) if not, the reasons therefor?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF EDUCATION
(Dr. SUBHAS SARKAR)

(a) to (c): For the promotion of research in universities, University Grants Commission (UGC) has brought out Guidelines for the establishment of a Research and Development Cell (RDC) in Higher Educational Institutions. The purpose of these Guidelines is to put in place a robust mechanism for developing and strengthening the research ecosystem within Universities and Colleges, aligned with the provisions of the National Education Policy -2020. These Guidelines are available at https://www.ugc.ac.in/pdfnews/6347789_RDC-Guideline.pdf .
