

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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DEPARTMENT OF HIGHER EDUCATION**

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**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1045
ANSWERED ON 29.07.2024**

Central University at Sikar in Rajasthan

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Will the Minister of EDUCATION be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government proposes to set up a Central University at Sikar Division headquarter in Rajasthan;
- (b) if so, the details thereof and the time by which it is likely to be set up; and
- (c) if not, the reasons therefor?

ANSWER

**MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF EDUCATION
(DR. SUKANTA MAJUMDAR)**

(a) to (c): At present there is no proposal under consideration in this Ministry to set up a Central University at Sikar Division headquarter in Rajasthan. The Central Universities are envisaged to function as pace setter institutions to provide academic leadership to other institutions in the region. There is already a Central University in Rajasthan, namely the Central University of Rajasthan, Ajmer.
