

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT
LOK SABHA**

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POPULATION EDUCATION RESOURCE CENTRE IN UNIVERSITIES
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Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of Population Education Resource Centres and Population Education Clubs instituted in universities and colleges;
- (b) whether there is any proposal to introduce such centers in Utkal University, Bhuvnesear; and
- (c) if so, the details thereof and the time by which these are likely to be introduced ?

Answer

MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (DR. MURLI MANOHAR JOSHI)

(a): According to the information furnished by UGC, 17 Population Education Research Centres (PERCs) have been established in Universities, and 1400 Population Education Clubs (PECs) in Colleges.

(b) & (c) : A PERC was established in Utkal University in 1996.