

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
PLANNING
LOK SABHA**

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ACHIEVEMENTS OF NATIONAL KNOWLEDGE COMMISSION
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Will the Minister of PLANNING be pleased to state:

- (a) the achievements of the National Knowledge Commission during the last three years;
- (b) the allocations made during the said period till date; and
- (c) the manner in which the Commission has helped in spreading knowledge across the country?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PLANNING(SHRI M.V.RAJASEKHARAN)

(a): The National Knowledge Commission (NKC) has submitted till November 2007, recommendations relating to the following: Libraries, Translation, Language, Knowledge Network, Right to Education, Health Information Network, Portals (Water, Energy), Vocational Education, Higher Education, Legal Education, Medical Education, Management Education, Open and Distance Education, Open Educational Courseware, National Science and Social Science Foundation, Intellectual Property Rights, Innovation, E-governance.

(b): During the past three years, Rs.105.57 crore has been allocated for the National Knowledge Commission.

(c) : The role of the National Knowledge Commission is not to spread knowledge in the country.