

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

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:404
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MOU SIGNED BETWEEN IGNOU AND NHRC
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Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) whether any Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) has been signed between Indira Gandhi National Open University (IGNOU) and National Human Rights Commission (NHRC) to sensitize police on human rights;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the reaction of the Government thereto?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SMT. D. PURANDESWARI)

(a) to (c): As per the information provided by Indira Gandhi National Open University (IGNOU), an MoU has been signed between IGNOU and National Human Rights Commission (NHRC) on 30.12.2009 with a view to jointly develop and conduct various courses for police personnel at cutting edge level to cover introduction to Human Rights, Protection of Human Rights, Police and Human Rights, Custodial Justice and Best Human Rights Practices in policing, etc.