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**Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether the Indian Institutes of Technology (IITs) and certain other educational Institutes have decided to increase the fees;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; Institute-wise and the reasons therefor; 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): At present, there is no proposal to raise fees by the Indian Institutes of Technology (IITs) and the National Institutes of Technology (NITs). However, the Indian Institutes of Management (IIMs) at Ahmedabad, Bangalore, Calcutta, Indore, Kozhikode and Shillong have decided to increase the fees for Post-graduate Programme for the academic session of 2010-12. IIM-Lucknow has no proposal for raising the fees for this session. Taking into consideration the programmes offered and other relevant considerations, different Central Universities have different fee structures which vary from course to course. IITs, IIMs and Central Universities being auto-nomous bodies, are empowered under their Acts / Statues / Rules to fix fees for different courses. In the case of Central Universities, the fees are fixed by the Executive Council/ Board of Management of the University.