

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

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NATIONAL MONITORING COMMITTEE ON MINORITY EDUCATION
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Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government proposes to set up a National Monitoring Committee on minority education;
- (b) if so, the details thereof including the proposed functions of the Committee; and
- (c) the time by which the said Committee is likely to be set up?

Answer

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

(a) to (c) Based on the National Policy on Education 1986 and the Programme of Action 1992, a National Monitoring Committee for Minorities' Education (NMCME) was first constituted in 1995 and was revived on 7.8.2004. NMCME is mandated to (1) monitor the implementation of Chapter 3 Minorities Education of the Programme of Action, 1992. (2) recommend to the Government how best to address issue related to reservation, recognition and affiliation of Minority Institutions. (3) monitor the ongoing schemes of the Ministry of HRD targeted at the Minorities and (4) advise the Government on the contemporary approach towards traditional methods of instruction. NMCME is under reconstitution.