

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

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3486  
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MODERNIZATION OF AUTONOMOUS ENGINEERING COLLEGES  
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**Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether the Union Government provides financial assistance for modernization/construction of autonomous engineering colleges in the country;
- (b) if so, the details thereof, State-wise;
- (c) whether the Union Government has received any proposals from the State Government including Uttar Pradesh for modernization/construction of engineering colleges in the States;
- (d) if so, the details thereof; and
- (e) the time by which such proposals are likely to be approved?

**Answer**

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

- (a): The All India Council for Technical Education (AICTE) is providing assistance for modernization and removal of obsolescence under the scheme Modernization and Removal of Obsolescence Scheme (MODROBS).
- (b): During the financial year 2009-10 the Council has released the grant under MODROB scheme amounting to Rs. 59.43 Crores. The State-wise details are at Annexure.
- (c): AICTE has invited application for granting assistance under MODROB scheme during the financial year 2010-11. The total 508 proposals from Government and Government-aided Colleges have been received till date under this scheme during the financial year 2010-11 which includes 14 proposals from Uttar Pradesh.
- (d): The State-wise details is at Annexure.
- (e): The proposals will be processed as per laid down procedure and suitable proposals will be approved before 31.03.2011 for granting assistance during the financial year 2010-11.