

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

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COMBINED ENTRANCE TEST IN REGIONAL LANGUAGES  
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**Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether there is any proposal for combined entrance test for medical and engineering to be held in regional languages; and
- (b) if so, the details thereof?

**Answer**

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

(a) & (b) : A committee has been constituted by the All India Council for Technical Education (AICTE) to explore the possibility of teaching / conducting professional education in regional language including engineering, medical and agriculture education. The terms of reference of the committee include, inter- alia, the use of regional language in entrance test like in All India Engineering Entrance Examination, All India Medical Examination and All India Agriculture Entrance Exam etc.