

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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LOK SABHA**

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IMBALANCE IN TECHNICAL EDUCATION
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Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) whether imbalances exist in technical education in the country;
- (b) if so, the reasons therefor;
- (c) the number of colleges providing technical education in the country, State-wise;
- (d) whether the Government proposes to set up technical educational institutes in those areas of the State which have comparatively less number of the said colleges; and
- (e) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

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

(a) to (c): Technical Institutions have been established in different part of the country on the demand of academia, Industry and public in general. There are 81 Centrally Funded Technical Institutions (CFTIs) in the country. The detail of these CFTIs is available on the Ministry's website(www.education.nic.in). The State-wise list of technical institutions granted permission by AICTE during last three years is at Annexure .

(d) & (e): Under the scheme of "Sub-Mission on Polytechnics under Coordinated Action for Skill Development " the Ministry provides one time financial assistance of Rs.12.30 crore per polytechnic in installments to the State/UT Governments for setting up of new polytechnics in 300 un-served and underserved districts of the country subject to State/ UT Government providing fee of cost land, meeting 100% recurring expenditure and also non-recurring expenditure beyond Rs. 12.30 crore, if any.