GOVERNMENT OF INDIA HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT LOK SABHA

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

- (a) whether the Delhi University has been keeping the students who are asking for their answer scripts wait for unduly long time and making them to go from one department to another as reported in the media;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) the number of students who asked for copies of their answer scripts and the number of students who got their copies of answer scripts;
- (d) the reasons for not providing the copies of answer scripts to the students;
- (e) whether the Union Government has issued any directives to the Delhi University in this regard; and
- (f) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefore?

Answer

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

- (a) to (d): According to the information furnished by the University of Delhi, appropriate arrangements have been put in place for disclosure and inspection of evaluated answer script by the students on their request. The University has so far received nearly 300 such requests, out of which 113 answer scripts have been inspected by 54 students. The University has further informed that there is no undue time lag in the disclosure of evaluated answer scripts to the students.
- (e) & (f): The University of Delhi is a statutory autonomous body established by an Act of Parliament and governed by the Delhi University Act, 1922 and the Statutes/Ordinances framed thereunder. Under the Act, the University is competent to take effective action in respect of all academic and administrative matters. Government has no role to play in such matters.