

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

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IIT CENTRES IN RURAL AREAS
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Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of the Indian Institute of Technology (IIT) centres functioning in various States including Bihar as on date;
- (b) whether the students of the rural areas have to go to other cities/metropolitan cities due to lack of IIT centres in their areas which is very costly; and
- (c) if so, the time by which the said facility is likely to be provided in all the States in the country?

Answer

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

(a) : There are 15 Indian Institutes of Technology (IITs) presently functioning in various States, including one at Bihta (Patna) in Bihar.

State-wise locations of IITs in the country are as under:-

Sl. State Institutes
No

1. National Capital IIT-Delhi
Territory of Delhi

2. West Bengal IIT-Kharagpur

3. Tamil Nadu IIT-Madras

4. Maharashtra IIT-Bombay

5. Uttar Pradesh IIT-Kanpur

6. Assam IIT-Guwahati

7 Uttarakhnd IIT-Roorkee

8. Gujarat IIT-Gandhinagar

9. Punjab IIT-Ropar

10. Rajasthan IIT-Jodhpur

11. Orissa IIT-Bhubaneswar

12. Andhra Pradesh IIT-Hyderabad

13. Bihar IT-Patna

14. Madhya Pradesh IIT-Indore

15. Himachal Pradesh IIT-Mandi

(b): Admission in IITs are made on All-India basis, in order of merit and preference of Institute and course indicated by the candidates in the Joint Entrance Examination (JEE), subject to reservation provided under the Central Educational Institutions (Reservation in Admissions) Act, 2006.

(c): At present, there is no proposal for establishing any new IIT.

