

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

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2464
ANSWERED ON:28.03.2012
MEDICAL COLLEGE AND HOSPITAL IN ASSAM UNIVERSITY
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Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the University Grants Commission (UGC) has directed to the Assam University, Silchar for preparation of a Detailed Project Report (DPR) for establishment of a Medical College and Hospital in the University campus;
- (b) if so, whether the Government has received the said DPR;
- (c) if so, whether the Executive Council of the said University has adopted a resolution in this regard and demarcated land of around 59 acres for the purpose;
- (d) if so, the details thereof?
- (e) whether the Government has finalized the DPR and decided to allocate funds to the university;
- (f) if so, the details thereof; and
- (g) the time by which the said medical college and hospital are likely to be established?

Answer

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

(a): Yes, Sir.

(b): Yes, Sir.

(c) and (d): According to the information provided by Assam University, its Executive Council has approved demarcation of around 59 acres of land for the proposed Medical College and Hospital there.

(e) to (f): As the proposals received from four Central Universities including Assam University involved Rs. 1465 crores, which was over and above the Plan allocation, it was not possible to fund them during the XI Plan.

(g): It is not possible to indicate a time line for establishing these Medical Colleges until the Plan outlay is approved.