

**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 Union Government proposes to initiate National Education Mission for teaching in view of inferior quality of teaching;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether the proposal to bring education policy within the purview of National Education Mission is under the consideration of the Government;
- (d) if so, the details thereof; and
- (e) the details of the schemes formulated by the Government to achieve the targets of proposed education mission?

Answer

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

(a) to (e): Hon'ble President of India in her address to both the Houses of Parliament on 12th March, 2012 had announced as under:

"The teacher is at the core of the education system. My Government intends to launch a National Mission for Teachers aimed at improving teacher education and faculty development."

In pursuance of the announcement made by the Hon'ble President of India, Ministry of Human Resource Development has held meeting with different stake holders on 17th April, 2012 to work out the contours to launch a National Mission for Teachers aimed at improving teacher education and faculty development.