

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

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

- (a) the details of provisions being proposed to be made for professional education in view of the growing unemployment in the country during the 12th Five Year Plan and the current year;
- (b) whether it is a fact that the industries are not getting success and face various problems on account of the lack of skilled manpower due to the lack of professional education;
- (c) if so, the amount of funds proposed to be spent on expansion of professional education; and
- (d) the number of persons/youths likely to be benefited from the same in future?

**Answer**

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

- (a): The proposed outlay sent by the Ministry of Human Resource Development to the Planning Commission for the Technical Education during the 12th Five Year Plan is Rs. 131197.55 Crore. and the Budget Estimates for the year 2012-13 is Rs. 6680.00 Crore.
- (b): National Vocational Education Qualification Framework (NVEQF) has been launched with the objective to create a skilled and productive work force that matches international standards of quality and productivity through integration of vocational education and training with main stream education. Apart from this, a revamped programme of Finishing Schools would also help in enhancing the employability of engineering graduates.
- (c) & (d): No such estimate has been made.