

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

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:4343
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NEW SUBJECT OF RELIGIOUS TEACHING FAITH
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Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government proposes to start a new subject at the university level which deals only with religious teaching/faith;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether the said proposal is likely to be implemented in the universities in backward areas of the country including Andhra Pradesh; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof, State-wise?

Answer

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

- (a): No, Sir. According to information furnished by the University Grants Commission, no such proposal is under consideration.
- (b) to (d): Do not arise.