GOVERNMENT OF INDIA HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:5373 ANSWERED ON:09.05.2012 ET EXAMINATION Devi Aswamedh

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

- (a) whether the University Grants Commission (UGC) levies fee and incurs expenditure on conducting the National Eligibility Test (NET) examination in the country;
- (b) if so, the details of total fee collected and total expenditure incurred with regard to NET examination during the last three years;
- (c) whether the Government has exempted the women candidates from paying fee for taking competitive examinations;
- (d) if so, whether the Government proposes to exempt women candidates from paying fee in UGC-NET and other competitive examinations conducted by Central Educational Institutions; and
- (e) if so, the details thereof and the steps being taken by the Government in this regard?

Answer

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

(a) & (b): Yes, Sir. The details of total fee collected and total expenditure incurred with regard to NET examination during the last three years are as under:

Year Total fee collected (including other misc. receipts/refunds) (Rs.) Expenditure (Rs.) 2008-09 8,68,36,834 11,27,47,167 2009-10 12,57,98,800 11,12,96,584 2010-11 18,11,02,921 13,85,57,071

- (c): No, Sir.
- (d): There is no such proposal as at present.
- (e): Does not arise.