GOVERNMENT OF INDIA HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:108 ANSWERED ON:08.08.2012 SETTING UP OF NEW NITS Tandon Shri Lal Ji

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

(a) whether the Government has decided to set up new National Institutes of Technology (NITs) in various States of the country including Uttar Pradesh;

- (b) if so, the details thereof, State-wise, location-wise;
- (c) the funds likely to be allocated for the purpose; and
- (d) the time by which such NITs are likely to be established?

Answer

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

(a) to (b): During the 11th Five Year Plan, ten new National Institutes of Technology (NITs) have been established so as to have one each in all the major States / UTs. The details are at Annexure. The State of Uttar Pradesh has an NIT functioning at Allahabad.

(c) to (d): An amount of `500.00 crore was provided under the scheme of Setting up of new National Institutes of Technology (NITs) including Ghani Khan Choudhury Institute of Engineering & Technology at Malda during the 11th Five Year Plan. The projection under the scheme during the 12th Five Year Plan is to the tune of `3000.00 crore. All the ten new NITs started their first academic session from the year 2010 – 2011 onwards with an annual intake of 90 students in each of the new NITs.