GOVERNMENT OF INDIA HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:548 ANSWERED ON:27.02.2013 SETTING UP OF IISERS Das Shri Ram Sundar;Karwariya Shri Kapil Muni

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

- (a) whether five Indian Institutes of Science Education and Research (IISERs) were set up in the year 2006;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether any grant in addition to the initial grant of Rs. 500 crore had been provided to the said institutes during the last three years;
- (d) if so, the details of grants released to each such institute and the funds utilised by the institutes during the said period; and
- (e) the number of courses started by the said institutes and the number of students on the rolls of each of the said institutes?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (DR.SHASHI THAROOR)

- (a) & (b) The Indian Institutes of Science Education and Research (IISER) Kolkata and Pune were established in the year 2006. IISER Mohali was established in the year 2007. The IISER Bhopal and Thiruvananthapuram were established in the 2008.
- (c) Each IISER was set up with approved an Plan grant of Rs.500 crore and no additional grant has been provided.
- (d) In view of (c) above, Does not arise.
- (e) The number of courses and the number of students on the rolls of each of the institutes are as below:-

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Name of Courses IISER IISER IISER IISER IISER Kolkata Pune Mohali Bhopal Thiruvananthapuram
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BS-MS- Dual Degree 407 471 409 332 305

Integrated Ph.D 57 39 133 - 88

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