

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

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ALL INDIA SURVEY ON HIGHER EDUCATION
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Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the All India survey on Higher Education has been conducted in the country;
- (b) if so, the details along with the objectives thereof; and
- (c) the time by which the said survey is likely to be completed?

Answer

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

(a) to (c): To prepare a sound database on the large and diverse system of higher education in the country, the Ministry has initiated a web-based All India Survey on Higher Education (AISHE) during 2010-11. The objectives of the survey are to identify and capture all the institutions of higher education in the country and to collect the data on various aspects of higher education from these institutions. The provisional results based on the data collected up to 31st July, 2012 in the survey have been released. The survey for 2010-11 is closed and for 2011-12 it has been started on 21.03.2013. During 2010-11, 554 Universities, 17009 colleges and 5743 stand-alone institutions have responded to the survey.