

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

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IMPLEMENTATION OF E LEARNING MISSION  
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**Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether the Government is considering a nation-wide e-learning mission and its implementation;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether the Government is considering measures to repurpose educational content in regional languages for the digital medium; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof?

**Answer**

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

- (a) & (b) Madam, the Department of Higher Education is already administering a centrally sponsored scheme, namely the National Mission on Education through Information and Communication Technology (NMEICT), which seeks to leverage the potential of ICT in providing high quality knowledge modules over the internet/ intranet for learners in higher education institutions. The Mission has two major components, content generation and connectivity, along with the provision of access devices for institutions and learners.
- (c) & (d) The conversion of available content in various regional languages is included under the NMEICT scheme.