## GOVERNMENT OF INDIA CULTURE LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1693 ANSWERED ON:22.07.2014 SETTING UP OF IIAC Mahajan Smt. Poonam

## Will the Minister of CULTURE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government proposes to set up Indian Institutes of Arts and Culture (IIAC) on the lines of Indian Institute of Technology (IIT) and Indian Institute of Management (IIM);
- (b) if so, the details thereof, state/UT-wise; and
- (c) the time by which these Institutions are likely to be set up and made functional?

## **Answer**

MINISTER OF STATE (IC) FOR CULTURE & TOURISM (SHRI SHRIPAD NAIK)

(a) to (c): There are already many specialized Institutes and Akademies under Ministry of Culture or in collaboration with Ministry of Culture working on different aspects of art and culture. Therefore, at present no such proposal is under consideration.