

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

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SAFETY GUIDELINES ON EXCURSION TRIPS

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

- (a) whether the University Grants Commission (UGC) or All India Council for Technical Education (AICTE) has framed guidelines on enforcing safety of students while on educational/ excursion trips;
- (b) if so, the details thereof including the key features of the guidelines; and
- (c) if not, the reasons therefor and the time by which these guidelines are likely to be framed?

Answer

MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SMT. SMRITI ZUBIN IRANI)

(a) to (c): Yes Madam. The University Grants Commission (UGC) has issued detailed guidelines on SAFETY OF STUDENTS ON AND OFF CAMPUSES OF HIGHER EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS to enforce safety of students while on educational/ excursion trips. The guidelines are available on UGC website www.ugc.ac.in/page/XIplan.guidelines.aspx.