## GOVERNMENT OF INDIA HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT LOK SABHA

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

- (a) whether the faculties under different universities and colleges across the country are not submitting thesis under the faculty improvement scheme of University Grants Commission (UGC);
- (b) if so, the details thereof, State-wise and the reasons therefor; and
- (c) the steps taken by the Government in this regard?

## **Answer**

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

(a) to (c): The University Grants Commission (UGC) has informed that grants under the Faculty Improvement Scheme are released to the concerned University/Colleges, which furnishes Utilisation Certificate to the UGC upon satisfactory utilization of the grant. The UGC does not centrally maintain the details of submission of theses under the scheme; these are maintained by the concerned University/Colleges.