

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

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:5753  
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MEDICAL COURSE IN IITS  
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**Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether the Government has any proposal to start medical courses in Indian Institutes of Technology (IITs); and
- (b) if so, the details thereof?

**Answer**

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

(a)& (b) : In order to enable the IITs to conduct research and impart education in the field of medicine the IIT Council in its 39,h Meeting held on 28.01.2009 and 41st Meeting held on 10.09.2010 recommended amendments in the Institutes of Technology Act, 1961.

However, presently the Government does not have any such proposal under consideration.