GOVERNMENT OF INDIA HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT LOK SABHA

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RESEARCH GUIDANCE BY AD HOC TEACHERS
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Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has any proposal to allow ad-hoc teachers for research guidance; and
- (b) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

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

(a) &(b): No, Madam. The University Grants Commission (UGC) has reported that it does not have any such proposal to allow ad-hoc teachers for research guidance.

It has further reported that the UGC (Minimum Standards and Procedure for award of M.Phil/Ph.D Degree) Regulations, 2009 already stipulate that the criteria for recognition of the faculty as Research Supervisor, for M.Phil/ Ph.D programmes, shall be laid down by the concerned Universities, Deemed to be Universities, Institutions of National Importance and colleges.