

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

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1692  
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CLOSURE OF INSTITUTE  
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**Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether the Pandit Deendayal Upadhyaya Institute of Rural Development under Babasaheb Bhimrao Ambedkar Central University has been closed;
- (b) if so, the details thereof and the reasons therefor; and
- (c) the action taken by the Government in this regard?

**Answer**

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

- (a): As informed by Babasaheb Bhimrao Ambedkar University, Lucknow, a Central University, there was / is no Institute named Pandit Deendayal Upadhyaya Institute of Rural Development under its purview.
- (b) & (c): Do not arise.