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Title : Need to recognize the Degree and Diploma certificates of teachers training issued to students by Bharatiya Shiksha Parishad, Lucknow for the purpose of employment.

SHRI R. THAMARAISELVAN (DHARMAPURI): I would like to bring to the attention of the Government the plight of students who have obtained diploma and degree courses in teacher education through institutions which later on emerged unrecognized universities like Bharatiya Shiksha Parishad, Lucknow. It has been reported that more than one lakh students out of which 15,000 students from Tamil Nadu which include more than 1,000 students from my Parliamentary Constituency, Dharmapuri alone, have obtained diploma and degree from such institutions and are wandering for employment unsuccessfully for the past several years, and their future is in dark as certificates issued by them are not accepted as valid in respective States for employment as Teachers. However, since the certificates issued by the unrecognized institutions are not accepted by their State Governments, these students are remained unemployed for many years and their future is in peril. I, therefore, urge upon the Government to declare the certificates of teacher education of those students who have undergone their training through such unrecognized institutions as valid or in alternate give them some relief, so that the affected students can get employment as Teachers and lead a peaceful life.