

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT
DEPARTMENT OF HIGHER EDUCATION**

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 4244
TO BE ANSWERED ON 07.01.2019**

Technical Education

4244. SHRI N.K. PREMACHANDRAN:

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

- (a) whether the Government proposes to introduce new system for the management of technical education and if so, the details thereof;
- (b) whether the Government proposes to establish more technical education institutions under the direct control of the Government with better infrastructure and if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether it has come to the notice of the Government that the management of the institutions other than the Government controlled institutions are not at par with the required standard and if so, the action taken thereon by the Government;
- (d) whether the Government proposes to improve the curriculum development and if so, the details thereof along with the inputs on collaboration on engineering education;
- (e) the details of the action taken by the Government for the involvement of high technology in emerging areas; and
- (f) whether the Government is utilizing engineering institutions for innovation entrepreneurship and if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT

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(a): There is no proposal with the Government to introduce a new system for the management of technical education in the country.

(b): Decision to establish more technical educational institutions under the direct control of the Government is taken as and when considered necessary by the Government.

(c): All India Council for Technical Education (AICTE) prescribes norms and standards and checks through surprise visits, whether the prescribed norms are being followed or not and takes appropriate action against the institution in case of deficiency.

(d) & (e): AICTE has developed outcome-based model curriculum with the help of academic and industry experts for Postgraduate and Undergraduate Degree courses in Engineering & Technology and MBA/ PGDM Courses which is available for Universities and Institutions for adoption.

(f): The Government has set up an Innovation Cell at AICTE to promote innovation in technical institutions and provide support to them for setting up Innovation Council in each institution.
