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Title: Regarding Indira Gandhi National Tribal University regional campus in Manipur -laid.

SHRI THANGSO BAITE (OUTER MANIPUR): A regional campus centre has been opened in 2009 under the Indira Gandhi National Tribal University of Madhya Pradesh at Makhan, Senapati District, Manipur due to the persistent demand by the Manipur Tribal Students for a full-fledged separate Central University.

There is shortage of teaching staff with no regular Director posted and no tangible developments in terms of infrastructure as well as administrative and academic activities till date.

The campus is located 30 Kms from Imphal but no proper mode of transportation as well as hostel facilities have been provided by the campus authorities. There are only five Departments namely MSW, Political Science, Human Rights, Sociology, Anthropology.

There is a great demand for opening more Departments as the lone Central Manipur University cannot accommodate the ever increasing number of students. Hon'ble HRD Minister is requested to kindly look into it and take corrective measures in this regard.