

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

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1772  
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B.ED. COURSES BY N.C.T.E.  
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**Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:**

- (a) the number of teaching institutions permitted by N.C.T.E. to conduct B.Ed. courses in the country as on date;
- (b) the number of teachers required in all these institutions for running B.Ed. courses; and
- (c) the number of teachers at present in the country eligible for teaching B.Ed. classes as per U.G.C. norms?

**Answer**

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT ( SMT. D. PURANDESWARI )

- (a) NCTE has granted recognition to 3209 institutions for conducting B.Ed. Course in the Country as on 28.2.2006.
- (b) and (c) As per norms and standards prescribed by NCTE for Secondary Teacher Education Programme (B.Ed) for an intake of 100 students or less, the teaching faculty shall comprise Principal / Head and at least seven lecturers. No Central data is maintained on total requirement and availability of teachers eligible to teach B.Ed.