

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

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ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE IN UGC ELIGIBILITY TEST FOR NET
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Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) whether Environmental Science is an important subject for the country;
- (b) if so, whether it has been included in the National Eligibility Test (NET) list to be conducted by the University Grants Commission (UGC);
- (c) if so, the details thereof; and
- (d) if not, the reasons therefore?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT(SHRI M.A.A. FATMI)

(a): Yes, Sir.

(b) & (c): According to the information furnished by the University Grants Commission (UGC), this subject has been included in the National Eligibility Test (NET) list of UGC for the award of Junior Research Fellowship (JRF) & eligibility for Lectureship w.e.f. July, 2000.

(d): Does not arise.