

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

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:4009
ANSWERED ON:20.12.2005
Ph.D AND M.Phil DEGREE BY U.G.C.
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Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Union Government proposes to waive the condition of qualifying NET (National Eligibility Test) and SET (State Eligibility Test) in respect of those having Ph.D and M.Phil Degrees as prescribed by the University Grants Commission ;
- (b) whether M.Phil degree is considered at par with Ph.D degree ;
- (c) whether the Government has already considered to take action to waive the condition of qualifying NET/SET in respect of M.Phil degree holders ;
- (d) if so, the time by which it is likely to be translated into action; and
- (e) the details thereof ?

Answer

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

- (a) : No, Sir.
- (b) : No, Sir.
- (c): No, Sir.
- (d)&(e): Do not arise