

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

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SETTING UP OF RENEWABLE ENERGY CLUB  
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**Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether the Government has decided to set up renewable energy club in all engineering colleges;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) the amount of assistance the Government has decided to provide to each engineering college for this purpose;
- (d) the purpose of setting up renewable energy clubs; and
- (e) the number of States where renewable energy clubs are proposed to be set up in engineering colleges at present?

**Answer**

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

(a) to (e): The Ministry of Non-conventional Energy Sources has decided to support Renewable Energy Clubs in all such Engineering Colleges which are recognized by the All India Council for Technical Education (AICTE) depending upon availability of funds. The Ministry has decided to provide a financial support of Rs. 25,000/- per annum to each Renewable Energy Club. The purpose of supporting Renewable Energy Clubs is to create mass wareness about new and Renewable Sources of Energy, its various systems and devices among students in all the States/Union Territories.