

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

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**Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether a large number of management schools in the country have begun outsourcing the process of student placements to human resource consultants;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the impact of such outsourcing on the students and the society in the country?

**Answer**

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

(a) to (c) : Most of the Centrally funded Indian Institutes of Management (IIMs) have intimated that they have not outsourced the work relating to placement of students to human resource consultants. However, the IIM, Indore has intimated that they have used the services of placement agencies only for the Executive MBA participants for the year 2009-10. The institute has used the services of M/s. HR Footprints and M/s. MaFoi Randstad. The institute is of the opinion that outsourcing agencies bring better professionalism to the placement process.