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Ligo-India Project

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Will the Minister of SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY be pleased to state:

be pleased to state the details of the place where Ligo-India project is proposed to be established and the institutes which are coordinating for its establishment?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF EARTH SCIENCES
(SHRI Y.S. CHOWDARY)

Madam, the location of the proposed Ligo-India project to be established is not yet finalized. For this purpose, 3 leading Indian institutions, viz. Inter-University Centre for Astronomy and Astrophysics (IUCAA), Pune, Institute for Plasma Research (IPR), Gandhinagar and Raja Ramanna Centre for Advanced Technology (RRCAT), Indore are coordinating with two LIGO observatories in the USA.
