

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS**

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 276**

TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 05TH FEBRUARY, 2019/ MAGHA 16, 1940 (SAKA)

NEW INSTITUTE UNDER GFSU

276. SHRI DEVUSINH CHAUHAN:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Gujarat Forensic Science University (GFSU) intends to establish new institutes for specialized education in the field of Cyber Security, Homeland Security, Wildlife Forensic, Fraud Detection, Nano Technology and Drug Regulations etc. and a vision document/road map for the next five years has been prepared for establishment of in-campus institutes, regional centre and establishment of institutes of international standards at an estimated cost of Rs.300 crores; and

(b) if so, the details thereof and the action taken by the Government to release the financial assistance?

ANSWER

**MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS
(SHRI HANSRAJ GANGARAM AHIR)**

(a) & (b): Yes, Madam. The Ministry of Home Affairs (MHA) has approved a project proposal from State Government of Gujarat for upgrading of Gujarat Forensic Science University at Gandhinagar, Gujarat at a total cost of Rs.300.00 crore (with Central Government assistance of Rs.180.00 crore and State Government share of Rs.120.00 crore) under the scheme for 'Modernization of Police Force'. MHA has already released financial assistance of Rs.49.75 crore to State Government of Gujarat.
