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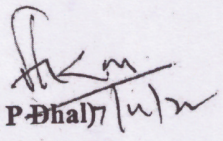
Deputy Director  
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**Sub: Lok Sabha Question No. 5981 regarding confinement of Girls in Adhyatmik Vishwavidyalaya to be listed for 08.04.2022.**

Madam,

This is in reference to the letter No. 60(670)/DWCD/WEC/PQ/LS/2017-18/438-40 dated 07.04.2022 received from your office regarding reply on the above mentioned question, wherein a copy of a communication from DCPCR is attached.

Reply of the above referred question is enclosed.

  
(P.P. Dhal)  
Member Secretary

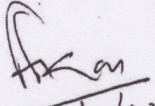
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S No.	Lok Sabha Question Starred Question No. 5981	Answer
(a)	Whether the Government has taken note of the instances reported from several States regarding forceful confinement of women and girls in some so called spiritual universities/ashrams including one on Delhi;	The Hon'ble High Court of Delhi in a matter WP(C) 11382/2017, Foundation for Social Empowerment V. Union of India, vide order dated 19.12.2017 had constituted a team comprising of Mr. Ajay Verma, Advocate, Ms. Nandita Rao, Advocate, a representative of the Delhi Commission for Women, Deputy Commissioner of Police nominated by the Commissioner of Police, for inspection of premises of Adyatmik Vishwavidhyalaya, run by Baba Virender Dev Dixit. As directed by the Hon'ble High court, inspection was conducted by the team and Hon'ble High Court was apprised. The matter is presently sub judice in the High Court of Delhi. Copies of the court orders dated 19.12.2017, 20.12.2017, 21.12.2017, 22.12.2017 and 04.01.2018 are enclosed.
(b)	If so, the details of action taken in this regard so far and if not, the reasons therefore,	The question does not pertain to DCW
(c)	The steps proposed to be taken to rescue girls from such confinement; and	The question does not pertain to DCW
(d)	The action proposed against those guilty?	The question does not pertain to DCW

  
 (17/12/2017)  
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