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IIAS-DARPG INDIA CONFERENCE 2025

3073. SHRI SHASHANK MANI:

Will the **PRIME MINISTER** be pleased to state:

(a) the manner in which the participation of 58 countries in the IIAS-DARPG India Conference 2025 contributed to advancing administrative reforms in India;
(b) the manner in which the conference addressed the integration of Artificial Intelligence (AI) and digital transformation in governance;
(c) whether the Government plans to introduce follow-up training programmes or collaborations to strengthen administrative capabilities and if so, the details thereof; and
(d) the action plan formulated by the Government to implement the key recommendations emerging from the conference?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE PRIME MINISTER'S OFFICE (DR. JITENDRA SINGH)

(a) to (d): As a Member State of the International Institute of Administrative Sciences, India hosted the IIAS-DARPG India Conference 2025 from February 10-14, 2025 on the theme "Next Generation Administrative Reforms: Empowering Citizens and Reaching the Last Mile". India brought out a seminal book publication under the IIAS publication series titled "Viksit Bharat@2047:Governance Transformed" to advance international knowledge creation and exchange in public administration. The Conference witnessed presentation of over 300 Research papers in Plenary/ Breakout sessions from delegates representing 58-member countries. A number of research papers focused on digital transformation in governance using AI, including papers from Indian delegates. This Conference is an academic multilateral forum for dissemination of knowledge.

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