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**Sub: Material for reply to Rajya Sabha Unstarred Question No. 3178 for 22.12.2014 asked by Shri Baishnab Parida regarding Lifts for disabled students.**

Sir,

 Please refer to your e-mail dated 18.12.2014 on the subject cited above.

 As desired, we forward herewith the draft material to the aforesaid Rajya Sabha Question for further action at your end.

 Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,

 **(UMAKANT AGARWAL)**

Deputy Registrar (Academic)

Encl: **As above.**

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* PS to Registrar --- For the kind information of the Registrar.

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**Material for reply to Rajya Sabha Unstarred Question No. 3178 for 22.12.2014 asked by Shri Baishnab Parida regarding Lifts for disabled students**

**Q. (a) Whether it is fact that there is no system of lifts for disabled students in Government schools in the country;**

Reply(a) As far as Jawaharlal Nehru University is concerned, there are sufficient number of lifts in the academic complex as well as in the Administrative wing for disabled students to pursue their courses, commute and interact with comfort.

**Q. (b) If so, the details thereof;**

Reply (b) Not applicable in view of reply (a) above.

**Q (c) Whether Government proposes to issue instructions to all concerned in the country for provision of lifts for disabled students in Government run institutes/schools to help them to pursue their courses with comfort; and**

Reply (c)It is for MHRD to respond.

**Q (d) If so, the details thereof?**

Reply (d) It is for MHRD to respond.

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