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Title: Request to government to establish a Medical Hospital/College in NagarKurnool Parliamentary Constituency under Pradhan Mantri Swastha Suraksha Yojana (PMSSY).

SHRI RAMULU POTHUGANTI (NAGARKURNOOL): Hon. Speaker, Sir, I am thankful to you for giving me this opportunity to raise a matter of public importance.

I represent Nagarkurnool Parliamentary Constituency in Telangana, which is a very backward region. My Constituency comprises of seven Assembly segments spread over three districts, namely Nagarkurnool, Wanaparthy and Gadwal. However, I am sorry to say that not a single Government Medical Hospital/College has been established in my Constituency although India had achieved Independence 73 years ago. Due to lack of such Government Medical Hospitals, the people of my Constituency are facing a lot of hardships in getting their treatment in private hospitals, which is a costly affair. Further, the State Capital City is also situated very far away for getting the medical treatment.

I would, therefore, urge upon the Union Government to establish a Medical Hospital/College in my Nagarkurnool Parliamentary Constituency under 'Pradhan Mantri Swasthya Suraksha Yojana

(PMSSY)' in the interest of the poor people and also aspiring students in medical profession to a great extent. Thank you.