

also be cured through this method; and

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(c) if so, the details of steps taken by Government to promote such methods in the country?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (KUMARI SAROJ KHAPARDE) : (a) to (c). The Government is not aware of spiritual method adopted by White Rose Foundation to cure drug-addicts and persons suffering from AIDS. However, according to present scientific studies spiritual treatment has not proved to be efficacious.

#### **Workshop on Health of Children**

6209. SHRIMADAN PANDEY: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether a workshop on the health of Children was organised in the month of December, 1987;

(b) if so, the decisions taken in the workshop; and

(c) the number of persons participated in that workshop?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (KUMARI SAROJ KHAPARDE) : (a) to (c). Government of India have not conducted any workshop specifically on health of children in December, 1987.

A workshop, however, was conducted by Indian Academy of Paediatrician in December on quality reinforcement of universal immunization coverage through re-education of Paediatricians with WHO assistance. the report of the workshop is yet to be received.

#### **Problems Faced by Jamia- Millia Islamia**

6210. SHRI JITENDRA PRASADA: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether Jamia Millia Islamia is facing acute problems due to lack of financial assistance from Government ;

(b) whether the class room and hostel accommodation inadequacy has further aggravated the situation; and

(c) if so, the steps taken by Government to help the institution?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENTS OF EDUCATION AND CULTURE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI L.P. SHAHI) : (a) No Sir, Government and the UGC have substantially increased the maintenance and development grants to the Jamia Millia Islamia during the last three years.

(b) and (c). According to the information furnished by the Jamia Millia Islamia, there is shortage of class rooms and hostel accommodation in the Jamia. The University Grants Commission have intimated that for the Seventh Plan period the Commission have accepted proposals from the Jamia for the construction of various buildings at an estimated cost of Rs. 158.87 lakhs to meet the requirements of class room, hostel accommodation and other facilities.

#### **Dharna by Doctors Against Non-Implementation of Their Demands**

6211. SHRI V. KRISHNA RAO:  
SHRI S.M.GURADDI: