Registration of medical practitioners under Ayurvedic Unani Medicines

- 4569. SHRI R. DHANUSHKODI ATHITHAN: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:
- (a) whether some percons were enlisted for registration as medical practitioners in Delhi by the Board of Ayurvedic and Unani Medicines in 1963;
- (b) if so, the number of enlisted persons who have been registered till day and if no such registration of enlisted persons has been done so far, the reasons therefor;
- (c) whether the above mentioned enlisted persons are likely to be registered in near future; and
 - (d) if not, the reasons therfor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (KUMARI SAROJ KHA-PARDE): (a) and (b) According to the information furnished by the Board of Ayurvedic and Unani Systems of Medicine, Delhi Administration, some persons were enlisted by the Board of Ayurvedic and Unani Systems of Medicine, in 1963 to do medical practices only but they were not enlisted for registration. No enlisted person has been registered till day for want of any provision in the Act.

(c) and (d) Enlisted persons can only be registered if there is an amendment in the Act.

Allocation of vans received from World Health Organisation

4570. SHRIMATI KISHORI SINHA: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have received mobile vans from World Health Organisation and other international agencies for us; under public health services;

- (b) if so, their number and States to which they have been despatched;
- (c) whether any of these vehicles are lying unused; and
 - (d) if so, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (KUMARI SAROJ KHAPARDE) (a) to (d) The information is being collected and will be placed on the table of the Sabha.

Environmental clearance of nuclear project

- 4571. SHRI SATYENDRA NARA-YAN SINHA: Will the Minister of ENVI-RONMENT AND FORESTS be pleased to state:
- (a) whether Government have considered the environmental impact of sanctioning more nuclear power plants under the 10,000 MW nuclear power scheme by 1999;
- (b) if so, what are its conclusions; and
- (c) whether Government have also considered the world wide concern over environmental deterioration due to nuclear power plants?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS (SHRI Z. R. ANSARI):

(a) and (b) No assessment of the environmental impact of setting up nuclear power plants to generate 10,000 MW nuclear power has been conducted. Proposals are individually examined as and when referred,

(c) The Government are aware of the worldwide concern over disposal of nuclear wastes and the radiation hazard in case of accidents. All aspects are examined in detail during assessment of the environmental impact.