Regarding need for more CGHS Wellness Centres in Odisha

प्रो. अच्युतानंद सामंत (कंधमाल): सभापित महोदय, आपके माध्यम से मैं माननीय मंत्री जी का ध्यान आकृष्ट करना चाहता हूं। I would like to raise the issue of need for more CGHS Wellness Centres.

Out of the 5 CGHS Wellness Centres in toto in Odisha State comprising of 30 revenue districts, three Wellness Centres are in the capital city of Bhubaneswar itself and one each in Cuttack and Berhampur which seriously fail to cater to the need of the CGHS beneficiaries of the State as a whole. Barring as many as eight districts mainly in the coastal belts, the Central Government employees and pensioners including the eligible beneficiaries of the Legislature, Judiciary and Press of the other 22 districts are deprived of getting proper CGHS facilities due to want of nearby Wellness Centres.

In this context, the Confederation of Central Government Employees and Workers Federations have already appealed the hon. Minister, Ministry of Health and Family Welfare and the Government of India and submitted a proposal for opening of more numbers of CGHS Wellness Centres/extension counters to provide comprehensive medical care to the Central Government employees and pensioners in particular and to meet the healthcare needs of eligible beneficiaries.

I would like to reiterate the request to bestow your kind attention on the issue to consider and plan to fulfil the need for opening of more numbers of Wellness Centres both within Bhubaneswar and in different parts of Odisha.

महोदय, इस सिलसिले में आपसे अनुमित लेकर मैं आधे मिनट के लिए आभार व्यक्त करना चाहूंगा। पिछले हफ्ते संसद में सेंट्रल यूनिवर्सिटी बिल 2023 के डिस्कशन में भगवान के आशीर्वाद से माननीय सदस्यगण तथा माननीय मंत्री जी ने भुवनेश्वर का उल्लेख किया तथा तारीफ की। अत: मैं श्री राजीव प्रताप रूडी जी, अधीर रंजन चौधरी जी, श्री चंद्रशेखर साहू जी एवं माननीय शिक्षा मंत्री जी का आभार व्यक्त करता हूं। धन्यवाद।

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