

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE  
LOK SABHA**

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**Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether an expert consultant to Interpol Secretariat General has issued a warning that our country would very soon face great threat from synthetic drugs like Amphetamines and Ecstasy;
- (b) if so, the details thereof and whether these drugs are available in North-East States; and
- (c) the number of such cases detected by the CBI during last two years?

**Answer**

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI A. RAJA)

- (a) to (c) The information is being collected and will be laid on the table of the House.