

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

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:4736  
ANSWERED ON:18.04.2001  
REDUCED IN FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE  
SHRINWAS DADASAHEB PATIL

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

(a) whether the Government have made drastic cut in financial assistance of 6 crores in 2000-2001 to Rs.4 crores in 2001-2002 for the patients in Delhi; and

(b) if so, the facts thereof alongwith the reasons therefor?

**Answer**

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

(a) &(b) No, Sir. There was an approved outlay of Rs.327.50 crores for implementation of Plan Schemes of Medical & Public Health Sector of various agencies under the Government of National Capital Territory of Delhi during Annual Plan 2000-2001. Against this outlay, an amount of Rs.266.14 crores had been kept in Revised Estimate (R.E.) for 2000-2001. For the year 2001-2002, an outlay of Rs.341.21 crores has been approved representing an increase of 28% over the provisions of R.E. for 2000-2001.