

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

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:5558  
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CGHS DISPENSARIES  
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**Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether Government propose to issue instructions for functioning of some CGHS Dispensaries in evening shift in Delhi & Maharashtra during current financial year to enable beneficiaries to make proper utilization of health services;
- (b) if so, the names of places identified; and
- (c) if not, the reasons therefor?

**Answer**

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

- (a) There is no proposal at present to start some CGHS dispensaries in the evening shift in Delhi and Maharashtra.
- (b) In view of (a) above, the question does not arise.
- (c) Starting of evening shift in CGHS dispensaries requires creation of new posts as per the norms fixed in the SIU Report of November, 1999, the implementation of which has become sub-judice as CAT Principal Bench, New Delhi vide order in OA No. 1030/2001 has stayed the implementation of the recommendations contained in the said SIU report. Therefore, it will not be possible for the Government to consider starting evening shift in CGHS dispensaries at present.