## GOVERNMENT OF INDIA HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE LOK SABHA

STARRED QUESTION NO:416 ANSWERED ON:19.12.2001 AIDS CONTROL PROJECTS PROGRAMME ANANTA NAYAK;PRAKASH V. PATIL

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

(a) whether UNICEF aided control programmes have been launched in the country;

(b) if so, the assistance/grant given during the last three years, State-wise, project-wise;

(c) whether the Government have undertaken some AIDS control programmes with the assistance of WHO and other International agencies; and

(d) if so, the details thereof, State-wise during the last three years?

# Answer

#### MINISTER OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (DR. C.P. THAKUR)

(a)to(d): A statement is laid on the table of the Lok Sabha.

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO LOK SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO. 416 FOR 19.12.2001.

The National AIDS [NACPII] is a 100 % centrally- sponsored scheme being implemented through the State AIDSControl Societies. The programme is being provided financial assistance by World Bank and Bilateral agencies (United States Agency for International development [USAID] and Department for International Development [DFID]) for a period of 5 years (1999-2004). The DFID assistance is being provided for the implementation of `Partnership for sexual Health` project for the prevention and control of HIV/AIDS and other sexually transmitted diseases in four States namely, Orissa, Kerala, Gujarat and Andhra Pradesh. The USAID is providing assistance for the implementation of the `AVERT` project in the State of Maharashtra fora period of 7 years (1999-2006). The financial outlay for Phase II of National AIDS Control Project [NACP] is :

a)	World	Bank	:		Rs	1155	5 croi	ces
b)	USAID			:		Rs	0166	crores
C)	DFID			:		Rs	0104	crores

Total Rs 1425 crores

The State wise release of funds to States during the last 3 years is annexed.

A s far as WHO and UNICEF are concerned, provide funds on specific projects on biennium basis. UNICEF is providing Antiretroviral drugs viz Nevirapine [NVP] free of cost for the Feasibility study of preventing Mother to Child Transmission [PMTCT] in 11 institutions in the country located in 6 high prevalence States, namely Tamil Nadu (3), Maharashtra (5), Andhra Pradesh (1), Karnataka (1) and Manipur.

#### ANNEXURE

### NATIONAL AIDS CONTROL PROJECT - PHASE II RELEASE OF FUNDS AS ON 14.12.2001

(Rs. In lakhs)

Total 10975.00 10872.40 6955.25