

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

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:956
ANSWERED ON:06.03.2002
QUACK MEDICAL PRACTITIONERS
RAM TAHAL CHOUDHARY

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

- (a) whether as per a survey conducted recently some of the medical practitioners have been found to be quack in Delhi and other parts of the country;
- (b) if so, the number of such quacks practicing throughout the country, State-wise;
- (c) whether the Government propose to enact any act to ban their practice and to punish them also; and
- (d) whether fake and unrecognized institutions are issuing Registered Medical Practitioner Certificates and if so, the action taken against such institutions?

Answer

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

- (a)to(d): The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the Lok Sabha.