

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

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ROLE OF NGOS IN TACKLING AIDS
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Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government have received any proposal from the State Government to provide/release financial assistance to Non-Governmental Organisations (NGOs) engaged in implementation of AIDS programmes during the last three years; and

(b) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

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

(a) & (b): Non Government Organisations engaged in implementation of AIDS programme are directly funded by State AIDS Control Societies except for proposals of Community Care Centers. From 1st April 2001 Community Care Centers are directly sanctioned to NGOs by State AIDS Control Societies in the six high prevalence states namely Karnataka, Manipur, Maharashtra, Tamil Nadu, Andhra Pradesh and Nagaland. In other states proposals are submitted by NGOs to NACO through State AIDS Control Societies for approval.

The proposals received & sanctioned by NACO during the last three years are annexed.

Annexure-I

Name of NGOs, which were sanctioned the community Care Centres in the last three years

Sl. No. Name of State Name of the NGO

1. DELHI SAHARA , DELHI CHELSEA
2. Karnataka M/S Freedom Foundation Bangalore
SNEHADAAN, Bangalore
FREEDOM FOUNDATION BELLARY
3. Manipur SHOLAM, Manipur
Leprosy Patients Welfare
Society, Imphal MANIPUR
4. Maharashtra Bel Air Hospital, Panchgani Maharashtra
5. Andhra Pradesh Freedom Foundation Hyderabad
6. Assam ILA Trust Assam
- 7 Pondicherry SFDRT, Pondicherry
8. Kerala Mar Kundukulam Memorial Research
& Rehabilitation Centre, Kerala.