GOVERNMENT OF INDIA HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:75
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NON-USE OF MACHINES GIFTED BY WHO TO HOSPITALS
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Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Central Government Hospitals functioning in Delhi are using modern machines or even trying to adopt latest technology for various tests in comparison to private hospitals;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) if not, the reasons therefor;
- (d) whether the latest machines gifted by World Health Organisation to these hospitals in the capital are not used and the old manual methods are preferred:
- (e) if so, the details of such machines lying idle in these hospitals in the capital;
- (f) whether any responsibility has been fixed in this regard; (g) if so, the details thereof; and (h) if not, the steps taken/proposed to be taken in this regard?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (PROF. RITA VERMA)

- (a) & (b) The Central Government Hospitals in Delhi namely, Dr. RML Hospital, Safdarjung Hospital and LHMC & Associated Hospitals are using modern equipments like Automatic Analyser, CT Scan & Ultra Sound to carry out various investigations.
- (c) Do not arise.
- (d) All the equipments supplied by the WHO are being fully utilised and are functional.
- (e) No machine is lying idle in Central Government Hospitals in Delhi.
- (f) to (h) Do not arise.