

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

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PURCHASE OF LIFE SAVING MACHINES
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Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether there are some Central hospitals in Delhi which are not having life saving machines;
- (b) whether the Health Ministry has sanctioned and released funds to such hospitals for the purchase of these machines; and
- (c) if so, the facts thereof and the steps taken to purchase these essential life saving machines?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (DR. VALLABHBHAI KATHIRIA)

(a) to (c) There is no shortage of life saving machines in Central Government Hospitals in Delhi. The up-gradation of Central Government Hospitals with machines/equipments including latest life saving equipments based on the needs and availability of financial resources is a continuous process.