GOVERNMENT OF INDIA HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:194
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SETTING UP OF TRAUMA CENTRE IN GEORGE MEDICAL UNIVERSITY
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Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

- (a) Whether the Union Government had allocated financial assistance for equipments, ambulance, civil works, communication in order to set up a Trauma Centre at the King George Medical University(King George Medical College) situated at Lucknow in Uttar Pradesh on January 30, 2001;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether the King George Medical University, Lucknow has established the Trauma Centre with the Central financial assistance;
- (d) if so, the latest details thereof;
- (e) the amount of central funds spent by the King George Medical University, Lucknow, on the ambulance, civil works, communication, equipment separately in the Trauma Centre;
- (f) whether the Union Government is aware of the alleged misuse of the funds allocated for the above Trauma Centre;
- (g) if so, whether the Union Government by constituting a high level committee at the Union level has conducted or proposed to conduct any enquiry into illegal misuse of above funds; and
- (h) if so, the details in this regard?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH & FAMILY WELFARE (SMT. PANABAKA LAKSHMI)

- (a) & (b) The Ministry of Health and Family Welfare has released an amount of Rs.1.50 crores to Government of Uttar Pradesh for setting up Trauma Centre at King George Medical College, Lucknow during the year 2000-01.
- (c) to (e) The `utilization certificate` of funds released to Government of Uttar Pradesh has not been received so far. However, details of the amount spent by the Institute on various components in Trauma Centre and any alleged misuse of the funds sanctioned for the purpose are being called from the State authorities.
- (f) to (h) The Ministry of Health & Family Welfare have not received any complaint in this respect.