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NEW RECRUITMENT SYSTEM FOR HEALTH STAFF

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

(a) whether the Administrative Reforms Commission has recommended for a new recruitment system for health-staff in Government hospitals to make the process more transparent and accountable to the local communities;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the measures taken by the Government in this regard?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI GHULAM NABIAZAD)

(a) to (c) The second Administrative Reforms Commission (ARC) in its 6th report titled 'Local Governance-An Inspiring Journey into the Future' has recommended that in urban local bodies, recruitment for hospitals and schools should be made to an institution/society, moving away from non-accountable State level recruitment. The report is available at <http://www.arc.gov.in>. Copies of the report have also been placed in the Parliament Library.