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SETTING UP OF AIIMS LIKE INSTITUTIONS

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

- (a) whether the detailed proposals for the establishment of eight hospitals on the line of All India Institute of Medical Sciences (AIIMS) at Bhopal, Bhubaneshwar, Jodhpur, Patna, Raipur, Rishikesh, Raiganj and Dinajpur have been finalised;
- (b) if so, the estimated cost to be incurred thereon alongwith the present revised and escalation cost;
- (c) the target fixed for the commencement of works alongwith completion thereof;
- (d) whether the Government proposes to involve the private sector in the setting up of these AIIMS like institutions; and
- (e) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF HEALTH & FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI GHULAM NABI AZAD)

(a) to (c): The Government have approved setting up of six AIIMS-like institutions at Bhopal (Madhya Pradesh), Bhubaneswar (Orissa), Jodhpur (Rajasthan), Patna (Bihar), Raipur (Chhattisgarh) and Rishikesh (Uttarakhand) in the first phase of Pradhan Mantri Swasthya Suraksha Yojana (PMSSY) in March, 2006 at an estimated cost of Rs.332 Crore per institution which has now been revised to Rs.820 Crore.

Construction of residential complexes for the six AIIMS-like institutions in the first phase of PMSSY has been taken up separately and is at various stages of completion. The work for Package I – Construction of Medical College/Hostel complex has been awarded. Award of work for Package-II - Construction of Hospital Complex is under finalization. The work is likely to start in June, 2010 and complete by 2012.

It is also proposed to set up two more AIIMS-like institutions, one each in the State of Uttar Pradesh and West Bengal at an estimated cost of Rs.823 Crore each in the second phase of PMSSY. Location of the AIIMS-like institutions will be finalized in consultation with the respective State Governments.

(d) & (e): In the approved scheme there is no plan for private participation in setting up of these AIIMS-like institutions. However, it is proposed that routine activities such as lab/diagnostic facilities & services and recruitment of Group 'D' staff (Nursing Orderlies, Ward Boys etc.) would be outsourced (contracted out).