

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

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

- (a) whether the attention of the Government has been drawn to the alleged scam involving the issue of fake certificates to 945 paramedic-untrained staff by the Indian Red Cross Society which qualified the certificate holders to transport accident victims in ambulances;
- (b) if so, whether these certificate holders were supposed to have undergone training with the St. John's Ambulances Brigade which is a Commonwealth Games Volunteer; and
- (c) if so, the details thereof and the action taken thereon?

Answer

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

- (a): As informed by IRCS, there is no such scam relating to issue of fake certificates as mentioned.
- (b) & (c): Do not arise.