GOVERNMENT OF INDIA HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE LOK SABHA

STARRED QUESTION NO:97 ANSWERED ON:30.07.2010 UPGRADATION OF AIIMS LIKE HOSPITALS Singh Dr. Raghuvansh Prasad

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

(a) whether the Government had given approval to 19 hospitals in the country for upgradation on the lines of the All India Institute of Medical Sciences (AIMS);

(b) if so, whether apart from these hospitals, the Government has forwarded the recommendation to the Planning Commission for granting the status of AIIMS to six more hospitals in the country;

(c) whether the State Government of Bihar has also sent the proposal to the Government to upgrade the Shri Krishna Medical College in Muzaffarpur for granting the status of AIIMS to it; and

(d) if so, the action taken by the Government thereon?

Answer

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

(a)to(d): A statement is laid on the Table of the House.

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO LOK SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO. 97 FOR 30TH JULY, 2010

(a)to(c): Yes, Madam.

(d): The proposal from Government of Bihar for upgradation of Muzaffarpur Medical College was received only after finalizing the proposal for upgradation of six medical college institutions in the third phase of PMSSY. Government Medical College, Dharbhanga, in the State of Bihar, is one of the institutions identified for upgradation in the third phase. Government Medical College, Muzaffarpur, has not so far been included in the list of medical colleges proposed to be upgraded under the PMSSY.