

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

STARRED QUESTION NO:183

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HEALTHCARE ARRANGEMENTS DURING COMMONWEALTH GAMES

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

(a) whether the Union Government has made adequate healthcare arrangements including for the sports persons and the tourists visiting the country during the forthcoming Commonwealth Games to be held in Delhi; and

(b) if so, the details thereof alongwith the preventive steps taken and the action plan formulated by the Government in this regard?

Answer

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

(a)&(b): A statement is laid on the Table of the House.

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO LOK SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO. 183 FOR 6TH AUGUST, 2010

(a) Yes, Madam.

(b) Ministry of Health & Family Welfare and Government of NCT of Delhi have made adequate health care arrangements for the sports persons and the tourists visiting the country during the forthcoming Commonwealth Games. JPN Trauma Centre of AIIMS, Dr. RML Hospital and GB Pant Hospital are the three dedicated hospitals for providing medical care to the athletes, coaches, officials and games family members. There are medical centres at competition and training venues manned by hospitals with Central / Delhi Government. The Games Village has a dedicated polyclinic. The identified hotels for the guests shall have medical units. All such facilities would have ambulance services for rapid transportation to identified hospitals. The arrangements for athlete and spectator care are as per the requirement conveyed by the Organizing Committee and reflected in the Health Action Plan of Health Department, Government of NCT of Delhi.

Steps have also been taken to prevent water, food and vector borne diseases through monitoring of water quality, food testing and vector surveillance.