

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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LOK SABHA**

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SUPER SPECIALITY HOSPITALS
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Will the Minister of LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Employees' State Insurance (ESI) Corporation has upgraded some ESI hospitals as super speciality hospitals in the country during each of the last three years and the current year;
- (b) if so, the details thereof, State-wise;
- (c) the funds allocated, sanctioned and released for the purpose alongwith its utilisation during the said period, State-wise and year-wise;
- (d) whether the Employees' State Insurance Corporation proposes to upgrade some more ESI hospitals as super speciality hospitals in the country;
- (e) if so, the details thereof alongwith the criteria fixed for identification of ESI hospitals for the purpose, State-wise; and
- (f) the details of additional medical facilities provided or likely to be provided in such hospitals?

Answer

MINISTER OF THE STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT (SHRI HARISH RAWAT)

(a) & (b): The Employees' State Insurance Corporation has set up one 50-bedded Super Speciality Wing at ESIC Model Hospital Complex, Kollam, Kerala on 10.12.2007 which is directly run by the ESI Corporation.

(c): The funds allocated, sanctioned, released and utilized (to meet all running costs) for ESIC Model Hospital and Super Speciality Hospital, Kollam during the last three years is as under:

(Rs. In lakhs)

Year	Funds Allocated	Funds Utilised
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2007-08	786.48	753.12
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2008-09	1235.00	1713.94
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2009-10	2384.00	2721.07
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(d) to (f): There is no proposal to upgrade more ESI Hospitals into Super Speciality Hospitals at present. The super-speciality services are being provided through tie-up arrangement with reputed Government/Private hospitals.