

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

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CLOSING OF VACCINE MANUFACTURING UNIT
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Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

he details of loss incurred by the Government since the closing of their three vaccine manufacturing public sector units, year-wise?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF HEALTH & FAMILY WELFARE (SHRIGHULAM NABI AZAD)

The manufacturing licences of the three vaccine manufacturing Institutes, namely, Pasteur Institute of India, Coonoor; Central Research Institute, Kasauli and BCG Vaccine Laboratory, Chennai were suspended on 15.01.2008 and were revoked vide order dated 26.02.2010. As per the details provided by these Institutes, comparing the revenue earned through sale of vaccines during 2007-08, the estimated losses during the subsequent years are as follows:-

Pasteur Institute of India, Coonoor

2008-09 Rs. 8.02 Crores

2009-10 Rs. 8.02 Crores

Central Research Institute, Kasauli

2008-09 Rs.2,91,57,698.00 Crores

2009-10 Rs.5,72,74,762.00 Crores

BCG Vaccine Laboratory, Chennai

2008-09 - Rs.10.61 Crore

2009-10 - Rs. 10.61 Crore