GOVERNMENT OF INDIA LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT LOK SABHA

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MEDICAL COLLEGE UNDER ESIC
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Will the Minister of LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government proposes to open new medical colleges under Employees State Insurance Corporation (ESIC) in the country including Jharkhand, Andhra Pradesh, Madhya Pradesh and especially in the rural areas;
- (b) if so, the name and number of such projects to be implemented under PPP mode;
- (c) the total number of existing medical colleges under ESIC in the country at present;
- (d) whether the number of new medical colleges is proposed to be based on the number of employees covered under the ESIC scheme in the country;
- (e) the district-wise list of places in the country including Uttar Pradesh and Kerala where the said colleges are proposed to be opened; and
- (f) the funds allocated for the purpose during the last three years and the current year?

Answer

MINISTER OF THE STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT (SHRI MALLIKARJUN KHARGE)

- (a): Yes, Madam. Medical Colleges proposed to be set up in Andhra Pradesh is at Hyderabad and in Madhya Pradesh at Indore. No medical college is proposed in Jharkhand.
- (b): There is no proposal to implement any project through PPP mode.
- (c): No Medical College exists under ESI Corporation as on date.
- (d): The medical colleges are set up in consultation with the State Governments in an implemented area.
- (e): The details of medical colleges proposed to be set up are at Annexure.
- (f): Funds allocated for Medical Education Projects are as under:

Year Amount (Rs. in crores)
2007-2008 Nil

2008-2009 Nil

2009-2010 312.73