

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

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

- (a) whether the Government proposes a public funded health insurance scheme in the country and has appointed a committee to examine the issue;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether the Government proposes to include Indian Systems of Medicine in the said health insurance scheme;
- (d) if so, the details thereof; and
- (e) if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

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

- (a) to (e): There is no such proposal under consideration in the Ministry of Health and Family Welfare.