GOVERNMENT OF INDIA HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:949 ANSWERED ON:05.08.2011 MODERN TECHNIQUES OF FAMILY PLANNING Ajmal Shri Badruddin

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

- (a) whether the tribal people in the interior of North-Eastern Region are not aware of modern techniques of Family Planning;
- (b) if so, whether the Government has conducted a study regarding this;
- (c) if so, the details and the outcome thereof;
- (d) whether the Government proposes to provide some special packages for creating awareness regarding family planning among the tribal people of North-Eastern region; and
- (e) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR HEALTH & FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI SUDIP BANDYOPADHYAY)

- (a) No. As per the National Family Health Survey, NFHS-3 (2005-06) and the District level Household Survey, DLHS 3- (2007-08), the awareness of modern family Planning methods in North-Eastern Region is very high, ranging from 95% in NFHS-3 to 96.9% in DLHS-3 as per Annexure.
- (b) & (c) Does not arise.
- (d) No.
- (e) Does not arise.