GOVERNMENT OF INDIA HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:990 ANSWERED ON:05.08.2011 APPOINTMENT OF DOCTORS IN AIIMS Argal Shri Ashok;Chauhan Shri Dara Singh;Mandal Shri Mangani Lal

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

(a) whether the recommendations made by the inquiry committees constituted separately under the Chairmanship of Dr. Yadav and Dr. Thorat to inquire into the issue of discrimination against the persons belonging to Scheduled Castes/Scheduled Tribes/Other Backward Classes in the matter of their appointment as doctors in teaching and non-teaching category and their enrolment to all the courses in the institute has been implemented by All India Institute of Medical Sciences (AIMS) authorities;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) if not, the reasons therefor;

(d) whether the number of seats reserved for them in M.Sc. (Nursinh), B.Sc.(H) Nursing and other courses have been reduced in AIIMS;

(e) if so, the details thereof; and

(f) the reasons therefor?

Answer

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

(a) to (c) The Governing Body of the institute in its meeting held on 13.08.2008 accepted the report of Dr. Karan Singh Yadav Committee and as per the recommendations of Dr. Thorat Committee, the institute has started the special teaching classes for SC and ST students in the subject in which they are weak.

(d) to (f) AIIMS is providing 15% reservation for SCs and 7.5% reservation for STs in all academic courses including M.Sc. courses and B.Sc. (Hons) Nursing courses. Reservation for OBCs is being implemented as per recommendations of Oversight Committee. 4 seats were sanctioned for OBCs in M.Sc. (Nursing) course in August, 2008 and these 4 seats for each session are being reserved for OBCs. Regarding B.Sc. (Hons) Nursing, 10 seats have been increased from August, 2008 session which are being filled by OBC category candidates.