GOVERNMENT OF INDIA HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1137 ANSWERED ON:05.08.2011 IMPLEMENTATION OF NUHM Ramasubbu Shri S.

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

- (a) the present status of implementation of the National Urban Health Mission (NUHM);
- (b) the extent to which it is likely to benefit in reducing the under-five mortality rate among the urban poor and also provide better health care facilities to urban slum dwellers;
- (c) whether the Government proposes to set up Urban Health Centres in various cities in the country; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

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

(a) to (d): Currently, process of wider consultations with stakeholders including State/UT Governments and concerned Central Ministries/Departments to finalize contours of the proposed National Urban Health Mission is underway. The NUHM has not yet been launched.