GOVERNMENT OF INDIA HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE LOK SABHA

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HOSPITAL EQUIPMENT FOR COMMONWEALTH GAMES
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Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government had released funds for procurement of equipments and upgradation of hospitals in Delhi for Commonwealth Games, 2010;
- (b) if so, the details thereof, hospitalwise and head-wise;
- (c) whether the equipments so procured were of the prescribed standards and procured by following due process of tendering;
- (d) if so, the details thereof; and
- (e) if not, the action taken/being taken by the Government to investigate the matter thoroughly?

Answer

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

(a) to (e): Since 'Health' is State Subject, no such information hospital-wise is centrally maintained.

However, with a view to provide tertiary and specialized care to the participants of Commonwealth Games, 2010, Sports Injury Centre has been set up in the Safdarjung Hospital, New Delhi with total cost of 70.72 crore including 26.50 Crore for procurement of equipments and furniture.

In addition, some equipments for strengthening of various departments of the Central Government Hospitals in New Delhi were procured after following the proper process of tendering.