GOVERNMENT OF INDIA HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE LOK SABHA

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

(a) the State-wise number of posts of doctors of Indian System of Medicine and Homoeopathy (ISM&H) lying vacant in each dispensary of CGHS;

(b) the steps taken by the Government to fill up the posts of doctors of Ayurvedic, Homoeopathic and Unani systems of medicines in each dispensary of CGHS in and outside Delhi; and

(c) the time by which these are likely to be filled up?

Answer

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

(a) The requisite information is annexed.

(b) & (c) Every year UPSC makes recommendations for direct appointments of doctors and also for filling vacancies of promotional posts. However, many of the selected candidates against direct recruitment do not join CGHS. Retired doctors have been hired on contract basis against some of the vacant posts to manage the operations depending on the immediate need. No specific time frame can be indicated for filling the vacant posts on regular basis.