GOVERNMENT OF INDIA HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:332 ANSWERED ON:23.11.2012 DOTS SERVICES FOR TUBERCULOSIS Sivasami Shri C.;Thomas Shri P. T.

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

- (a) the number of Directly Observed Treatment Short Course (DOTS) and DOTS Plus centres in the country, State/ UT-wise;
- (b) the number of TB patients admitted and successfully cured or completed treatment in the above centres indicating the treatment success rate achieved under the programme during each of the last three years and the current year, State/UT-wise;
- (c) whether the Government proposes to extend DOTS and DOTS Plus services to all the States; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (ABU HASEM KHAN CHOUDHURY)

- (a) State/UT-wise number of DOTS and DOTS-Plus centres in the country are given in Annexure I.
- (b) State/UT-wise number of TB patients registered and treated successfully during the last three years and the current year (upto June) in respect of other than drug resistant TB are given in Annexure II. For drug resistant TB, the details are in Annexure III.
- (c) & (d) Under the Revised National Tuberculosis Control Programme (RNTCP), DOTS and DOTS-Plus services are already available in all the States as given in Annexure I.