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AIIMS LIKE HOSPITALS

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

- (a) the number and names of hospitals proposed to be set up/covered/upgraded under the Pradhan Mantri Swasthya Suraksha Yojana (PMSSY) along with their present status, State/UT-wise;
- (b) the number and names of hospitals in respect of which consent has been taken from the Planning Commission for upgradation in the second phase of PMSSY along with present status of work in this regard;
- (c) the reasons for the delay in setting up of new hospitals on the lines of AIIMS and upgrading the existing hospitals; and
- (d) the time by which AIIMS like hospitals are likely to be set up or upgraded under PMSSY?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (GHULAM NABI AZAD)

(a) & (b): The details in regard to setting up of hospitals on the lines of AIIMS and upgradation of existing Government Medical College Institutions in the first and second phase of PMSSY and progress in each of the projects is annexed.

Out of 13 institutions taken up for upgradation in the first phase of PMSSY, civil work at 6 medical colleges, viz. Thiruvananthapuram Medical College; Government Mohan Kumaramangalam Medical College & Hospital, Salem; Government Medical College, Bangalore; NIMS, Hyderabad; SGPGIMS, Lucknow and Jammu Medical College have been completed.

Out of 6 medical colleges taken up for upgradation in the second phase of PMSSY, civil work at Government Medical College, Amritsar; Rajendra Prasad Government Medical College, Tanda; Jawaharlal Nehru Medical College, Aligarh and Pt.B.D. Sharma Postgraduate Institute of Medical Sciences, Rohtak has already started. At Nagpur Medical College where only procurement of medical equipment is involved, procurement work has already been initiated. In respect of Madurai Medical College, plan/design was modified consequent on change of location by the Government of Tamil Nadu.

(c) & (d) : Consequent on failure of bid process initiated in 2006 for selection of single Project Consultant for all the six institutions and rejection of bids for architectural design due to exorbitant price offered by the bidder, the whole process had to be initiated de novo. It was accordingly decided in January, 2007 that each AIIMS site should be treated as a separate and independent project instead of clubbing all six together and that the construction of housing complex should be separated from that of Hospital and Medical College, so that it is constructed earlier.

There had also been delay in finalization of Detailed Project Reports for medical college and hospital complexes consequent on incorporation of certain changes and also adoption of some additional features such as green building concept etc. in the design of the buildings.

In addition, due to local problems at Bhubaneswar site, change in basic design of the building due to site condition at Rishikesh, modification in design at foundation level due to site requirements at Patna and Raipur sites, deficient services by Project Consultant at Jodhpur site etc., also delayed the work at the six AIIMS projects. All the six AIIMS-like institutions in the first phase of PMSSY are expected to be made functional by 2013-14.

Implementation of remaining 7 upgradation projects in the first phase of PMSSY has got delayed due to certain site conditions/local issues etc. and these are expected to be completed by March, 2013.

The civil work at Amritsar Medical College; Tanda Medical College; Aligarh Medical College and PGIMS, Rohtak has started and the work is in progress. At Nagpur Medical College where only procurement of medical equipments is involved, the procurement work is undertaken by the State Government/Institute. At Madurai Medical College, concept plan/design has modified due to change of location by the State Government/institute authorities.