GOVERNMENT OF INDIA HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:5082 ANSWERED ON:26.04.2013 UTILIZATION OF BUDGETARY ALLOCATION Rana Shri Jagdish Singh

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

- (a) the total budgetary allocation for his Ministry during each of the last three years;
- (b) whether his Ministry has fully utilized its budgetary allocation during the above said period;
- (c) if so, the details thereof; and
- (d) if not, the funds remained unutilized during the said period and the reasons for the same?

Answer

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

(a) to (d) The budgetary allocation, funds utilized and funds remaining unutilized for the Ministry of Health and Family Welfare during the last three years 2010-11, 2011-12 and 2012-13 is given in the following Table.

(Rs. in crores)

Year Budgetary Revised Estimates Funds Funds remaining allocation (As approved by utilized unutilized Ministry of Finance)

2010-11 25154.00 25055.00 24282.07 871.93

2011-12 30456.00 28353.06 27212.16 3243.84

2012-13 34448.00 29272.56 26422.85 8065.15

The under-utilization of funds is on account of following reasons -

- (i) 2010-11 and 2011-12 being the last years of Eleventh Plan, the new initiatives envisaged during the Eleventh Plan could not take off.
- (ii) On account of non-submission of Utilisation Certificates by the Implementing Agencies and unspent balances of earlier releases lying with them, further release of grants were not made resulting in funds remaining unutilized.
- (iii) Delayed implementation of stipulated activities by the States also led to less release of funds.