# GOVERNMENT OF INDIA HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE LOK SABHA

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FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE FROM FOREIGN COUNTRIES
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## Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

- (a) the names of the health projects being implemented with the assistance of the World Health Organisation, World Bank and other international agencies/ countries along with the funds received therefor during each of the last three years and the current year, State/agency-wise;
- (b) whether the Government has sought further assistance from foreign agencies to improve the quality of health services in the country;
- (c) if so, the details thereof, State/ agency-wise;
- (d) whether the Government propose to set up a new body for assisting qualified drug manufacturers, chemists in laboratories and research work to improve the quality of health services; and
- (e) if so, the details thereof?

# **Answer**

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

(a) to (c): The Government is receiving financial assistance in the form of loans and grants from various foreign agencies / countries, including the World Bank, for funding projects to strengthen health sector in the country. The World Health Organization does not directly assist the health programmes/ projects of the Central/ State Governments. The agency and year-wise details of the loan and grants received during the last three years and the current year are as under:

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As Loan (In Rs. crores):
Agency 2010-11 2011-12 2012-13 2013-14
GODE, Germany 33.45 24.43 0.00 0.00
IDA 798.48 1436.57 1526.18 0.00

As Grant (In Rs. crores):
Agency 2010-11 2011-12 2012-13 2013-14
EEC 0.00 210.34 0.00 0.00
GLF Global Fund 458.01 735.03 643.89 0.00
GODE, Germany 102.18 40.27 0.87 0.00
GOUK, 723.99 803.55 506.81 0.00
UK
GOUS, USA 30.53 55.10 23.61 0.00
UNDP 9.74 9.65 0.91 0.00
UNFPA 0.00 19.99 15.80 0.00
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## Projects under World Bank funding:

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Name of Projects State / Central Loan amount in Date of
    Rs. Crore Signing/ Closing
     (approx.)
Karnataka Health Karnataka 1146.46 16-10-2006 /
Systems 31-03-2016
Tamil Nadu Health Tamil Nadu 1233.22 05-01-2005 /
Systems 30-09-2013
Uttar Pradesh Uttar Pradesh 822.86 21-03-2012 /
Health Systems 31-03-2017
Vector Borne Central (M/o HFW) 2820.47 13-02-2009 /
Disease Control 31-12-2013
& Polio Eradication
Support Project
ICDS Systems Central (M/o WCD) 573.86 05-11-2012 /
Strengthening & 31-10-2015
Nutrition
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Improvement Project

(d): No.

(e): Does not arise.