

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:4695
ANSWERED ON:12.08.2014
TASK FORCE FOR PHARMACEUTICAL INDUSTRY
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Will the Minister of CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS be pleased to state:

- (a) the Government has constituted a Task Force to chalk out a long-term strategy to resolve the problems being faced by the Indian Pharmaceutical Industry;
- (b) if so, the details thereof including the terms of reference thereof;
- (c) whether the Task Force has submitted its report to the Government;
- (d) if so, the details thereof and the suggestions given/recommendations made by the Task Force; and
- (e) the follow-up action taken/proposed to be taken by the Government thereon?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS (SHRI NIHAL CHAND)

- (a) : No such Task Force has been constituted by the Department of Pharmaceuticals.
- (b) to (e) :In view of reply (a) above, Question does not arise.