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ESIC Medical Colleges

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Will the Minister of LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) the total number of medical colleges running under the Employees State Insurance Corporation (ESIC) in the country along with the total number of workers covered thereunder, State/UT-wise;
- (b) whether the ESIC/Government proposes to set up new Medical Colleges/Super Speciality Hospitals in various parts of the country and if so, the details thereof along with the locations identified and funds allocated for the purpose, State/UT-wise including Uttar Pradesh;
- (c) the details of the facilities available in such medical colleges/super speciality hospitals along with the number of persons benefited therefrom during the last three years and the current year, State/UT-wise;
- (d) whether the ESIC hospitals have adequate medical facilities to cater to the needs of their beneficiaries; and
- (e) if so, the details thereof along with the reaction of the Government there to and the steps being taken by the Government to augment the same?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE (IC) FOR LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT
(SHRI BANDARU DATTATREYA)

(a): Employees' State Insurance (ESI) Corporation is running six Medical Colleges across the country. The details along with total number of workers/insured Persons (IP) covered, state/UT-wise are as at Annexure-I.

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(b): The ESIC had decided in 165th meeting held on 7/4/2015 that it will neither set up any other Medical College nor any new Medical Education Institution. The ESI Corporation in its 167th meeting has taken a decision to run one super specialty hospital in every State. During same meeting, in-principle approval has also been given for setting up of a Super Speciality Hospital at Pandu Nagar, Kanpur, Uttar Pradesh at the cost of Rs. 300 crore.

(c): The details of facilities available in associated in Medical College hospitals are at Annexure-II. ESIC is running a super speciality hospital at Sanath nagar, Hyderabad with super specialities such as Cardiology, Neurology, Neurosurgery, Pediatrics surgery, nephrology, urology, dialysis etc. The details of in-house Super-speciality Services provided in ESIC Hospital is at Annexure-III. Total number of IPs for last three years is at Annexure-IV.

(d) & (e): ESIC hospitals have adequate medical facilities, either in-house or through tie-up arrangements, to cater to the needs of ESI beneficiaries. Details of recent steps taken to augment medical facilities, are as under:

- a. Availability of electronic health records of patients.
- b. Day-wise change of hospitals bed sheets
- c. 24X7 medical helpline.
- d. Evening OPD for senior Citizen & differently able patients.
- e. Cancer detection/ treatment facilities.
- f. Cardiology treatment facilities.
- g. Setting up of Dialysis facilities.
- h. Complete immunization facilities.
- i. Telemedicine and AYUSH facilities.

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