GOVERNMENT OF INDIA AYURVEDA, YOGA & NATUROPATHY, UNANI, SIDDHA AND HOMEOPATHY (AYUSH) LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3409 ANSWERED ON:04.08.2017 Study on Laziest Nations Mani Shri Jose K.

Will the Minister of AYURVEDA, YOGA & NATUROPATHY, UNANI, SIDDHA AND HOMEOPATHY (AYUSH) be pleased to state:

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- (a) whether the Government has taken note regarding findings of a study conducted by Stanford University (US) researchers, published in Nature that has ranked India 39 among 46 nations surveyed as the laziest nations in the world;
- (b) if so, the reaction of the Government thereto;
- (c) whether the Government has any plan to promote walking and cycling in focusssed manner; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE (IC) OF THE MINISTRY OF AYURVEDA, YOGA & NATUROPATHY, UNANI, SIDDHA AND HOMOEOPATHY (SHRI SHRIPAD YESSO NAIK)

- (a): There was an article in the Times of India on 13.07.2017 titled, "Indians among world"s laziest, take just 4,297 steps a day: Stanford study". The article relates the incidence of obesity with reference to the level of physical activities based on the study conducted by Stanford University.