Title: Need to check the spread of AIDS.

SHRIMATI MINATI SEN (JALPAIGURI): Mr. Speaker, Sir, the first HIV case was found in India in the year 1978. Within a span of 27 years, probably we have crossed the figure of 30 crore affected persons and according to the Government's report, 14 States are now highly vulnerable. So, I would like to know from the hon. Minister of Health and Family Welfare, through you, whether any specific step has been proposed by the Government to achieve zero level in both HIV and AIDS affected persons and also whether any financial assistance is being received from foreign agencies like the World Bank, World Health Organisation etc. for arresting the spread of AIDS.