GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2407 TO BE ANSWERED ON 9TH MARCH, 2018

PHYSIOTHERAPISTS UNDER CGHS

2407. SHRI SUNIL KUMAR SINGH:

Will the Minister of **HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE** be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of physiotherapists having Bachelor, Masters and Doctoral Degree in the country;
- (b) the number of posts filled and vacant of physiotherapists under CGHS;
- (c) whether physiotherapists recruitment rules are reviewed/ amended for hospitals once in five years as per DoPT guidelines, if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor;
- (d) whether any step has been taken to implement Seventh Pay Commission recommendation of cadre restructuring for physiotherapists, if so, the details thereof; and
- (e) whether the Government proposes to provide physiotherapy services at all CGHS dispensaries to increase public accessibility and if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI ASHWINI KUMAR CHOUBEY)

- (a): No such data is maintained centrally.
- (b): Post Filled-1 and Vacant-Nil
- (c): The Recruitment Rules for the post of Physiotherapists are reviewed as and when the proposal is received.
- (d): There is no such proposal under consideration for cadre restructuring for Physiotherapist in CGHS.
- (e): No.