

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE
RAJYA SABHA
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ANSWERED ON
SHORTAGE OF FACULTY IN AIIMS .

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

- (a) whether the faculties of all the departments of the All India Institute of Medical Sciences (AIIMS) are working properly;
- (b) if so, whether there are certain departments where there is shortage of faculty;
- (c) if so, the steps being taken by Government to meet the shortage;
- (d) whether Government has appointed any commission to sort out the problems confronting AIIMS;
- (e) if so, whether private sector is being incorporated as a partner on the recommendations of that commission; and
- (f) if so, the extent of partnership of private sector in the institute?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE

(SHRI GHULAM NABI AZAD)

(a) & (b) Yes.

(c) In recent past, vacant posts of faculty members of All India Institute of Medical Sciences (AIIMS), New Delhi, were advertised. However, the selection process against the advertisement could not take place due to administrative reasons and the same were treated as withdrawn. Subsequently, the matter has been examined and the recruitment process has been kept in abeyance till the issues are sorted out.

(d) to (f). The Government had constituted a committee headed by Prof. M.S.Valiathan to study the functioning of AIIMS and make recommendations for further development of the Institute. As of now there is no proposal in the Ministry to incorporate private sector as a partner on the recommendation of that committee.