GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF AYURVEDA, YOGA & NATUROPATHY, UNANI, SIDDHA AND HOMOEOPATHY (AYUSH)

RAJYA SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2727 TO BE ANSWERED ON 20TH MARCH, 2018

RARIGID, GUWAHATI

2727. SHRI BHUBANESWAR KALITA:

Will the Minister of AYURVEDA, YOGA & NATUROPATHY, UNANI, SIDDHA AND HOMOEOPATHY be pleased to state:

- (a) whether a new building of Regional Ayurveda Research Institute for Gastro Intestinal Disorder (RARIGID) has recently been inaugurated at Guwahati;
- (b) if so, whether additional facilities would be provided to the patients following construction of the building, if so, the details thereof;
- (c) what is the total number of Ayurvedic Centres being run by Government in Assam and whether Indoor Patients Departments is available in these centres; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

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

- (a) & (b) Yes. In the new building, Clinical OPD, Panchakarma facilities, Laboratory and also outreach activities under Swasthya Rakshan Program (SRP), Schedule Caste Sub Plan (SCSP) Program and Tribal Health Care Research Program (THCRP) are going on.
- (c) & (d) Central Council for Research in Ayurvedic Sciences (CCRAS), an autonomous body under the Ministry of AYUSH has one Regional Ayurveda Research Institute for Gastro-Intestinal Disorders where Indoor Patient Department (IPD) facility has been sanctioned. The Council is running the following 10 (Ten) Ayurveda Health Centres, through this Centre, in North Eastern States since 2015-16 where OPD services are being provided:
 - i. Kamrup,
 - ii. Nalbari,
 - iii. Marigaon,
 - iv. Darreng,
 - v. Barpeta,
 - vi. Tezpur,
 - vii. Golaghat,
 - viii. Goalpara,
 - ix. Nagaon,
 - x. Jorhat.