

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

**RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3619
TO BE ANSWERED ON 27TH MARCH, 2018**

SURVEY ON HARMFUL EFFECTS OF ENERGY DRINKS

3619. SHRI NARENDRA KUMAR SWAIN:

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

- (a) whether Government is aware of the fact that energy drinks which are prevalent in the youth are dangerous for the heart;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether Government has conducted any survey in this regard; and
- (d) if not, the reasons therefor?

**ANSWER
THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND
FAMILY WELFARE
(SMT. ANUPRIYA PATEL)**

(a) to (d): Studies across the world indicate that high caffeine content in the energy drinks leads to adverse effects like hypokalemia, hallucinations, stroke, paralysis etc.

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