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

# RAJYA SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3632 TO BE ANSWERED ON 27<sup>TH</sup> MARCH, 2018

### TIMELY COMPLETION OF AIIMS, NAGPUR

#### **3632. SHRI HUSAIN DALWAI:**

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

- (a) whether Government approval for setting up AIIMS in Nagpur, Maharashtra was given on October 7, 2015 with an approved cost of `1577 crore;
- (b) if so, whether the entire plan of completion faces a delay of two years and if so, the details thereof;
- (c) the updated timeline for completion of the project and starting delivery of services; and
- (d) what measures will the Ministry take to ensure the completion of the project on a priority basis?

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

- (a): Yes, Cabinet has approved setting up of AIIMS at Nagpur in Maharashtra at the cost of Rs 1577 crore on 07.10.2015.
- (b) & (c): There is no delay in Project Execution. The project is progressing as per original timeline.
- (d): An Executing Agency was appointed to complete the project. The timelines provided in Cabinet approval are being adhered to. The project is being monitored closely within Ministry and Project Monitoring Group of Cabinet Secretariat.