

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT**

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**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1839
TO BE ANSWERED ON 17.03.2022**

STATUS OF ESI HOSPITALS IN ANDHRA PRADESH

1839. SHRI G.V.L. NARASIMHA RAO:

Will the Minister of Labour and Employment be pleased to state:

- (a) status of seven new ESI hospitals sanctioned for Andhra Pradesh;**
- (b) status of reconstruction of ESI Hospitals in Rajahmundry, Visakhapatnam (Malkapuram), Vijayawada;**
- (c) sanctioned cost, date of sanction, release of funds for each of the hospitals in (a) and (b) above;**
- (d) the details of land allotment and possession of each of the seven new ESI hospitals;**
- (e) status of land allotment and transfer of ESI hospital in Guntur;**
- (f) sanction date, date of land allotment, date of land transfer of new Visakhapatnam ESI Hospital; and**
- (g) sanctioned amount, date of sanction of ESIC for Visakhapatnam new ESI hospital and schedule of construction etc.?**

ANSWER

**MINISTER OF STATE FOR LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT
(SHRI RAMESWAR TELI)**

(a): Status of seven new Employees' State Insurance (ESI) hospitals, viz. Guntur, Vizianagaram, Kakinada, Penukonda, Visakhapatnam, Sri City Nellore and Atchutapuram in Andhra Pradesh is at different stages ranging from land allotment to construction as given in subsequent paragraphs.

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(b) & (c): Reconstruction of ESI hospital at Rajahmundry has been entrusted to Central Public Works Department (CPWD) with sanctioned cost of Rs.97.97 crore and was sanctioned on 19.08.2020. An amount of Rs.10.90 crore has been released.

Renovation work of the existing ESI hospital at Visakhapatnam (Malkapuram) has been entrusted to CPWD with sanctioned cost of Rs.21.79 crore and was sanctioned on 13.11.2019. An amount of Rs.19.16 crore has been released.

Demolition and reconstruction of ESIS Hospital at Vijayawada has been entrusted to CPWD. Estimate has not been received.

(d) & (e): The projects at Guntur, Penukonda, Sri City Nellore are at land allotment stage and project at Atchutapuram is at land possession stage. The remaining three projects are at different stages of construction.

(f) & (g): The construction work of new Visakhapatnam ESI hospital has been entrusted to CPWD at sanctioned cost of Rs.384.26 crore. Land for the project was transferred by the State Government by Order dated 18.09.17 and 27.10.17. The sanction date was 01.02.22. Schedule of construction is 36 months from the date of sanction.

The project at Vizianagaram has been entrusted to M/s. MECON with sanctioned cost of Rs.73.68 crore. The sanction date of the project is 23.12.20 and an amount of Rs.0.25 crore has been released.

The project at Kakinada has been entrusted to CPWD with sanctioned cost of Rs.102.77 crore and sanction date is 19.08.20. An amount of Rs.17.23 crore has been released.