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

RAJYA SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.594 TO BE ANSWERED ON 7th FEBRUARY,2023

TRAUMA CENTER IN BEGUSARAI

594: SHRI RAKESH SINHA:

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

- (a) whether it is a fact that the road accidents and injuries due to industrial activities has increased in Begusarai and Barauni, only industrial cities in Bihar;
- (b) whether the Ministry is considering to establish a Trauma Center to address the aforesaid problem;
- (c) if so, what will be the schedule to establish it; and
- (d) if not, whether it will provide some concrete solution to the problems, as the local Government hospitals report more than 123 accidents in three months?

ANSWER THE MINISTER OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (DR. BHARATI PRAVIN PAWAR)

(a) to (d) During 11th Five Year Plan (2007-2012) under scheme "Assistance for Capacity Building for Developing Trauma Care Facilities in Government Hospitals on National Highways" proposals were received from State Government of Bihar and nine hospitals/medical colleges were sanctioned for setting up of trauma care facilities one each at Dharbhanga, Gaya, Gopalganj, Kishanganj, Madhepura, Madhubani, Muzaffarpur, Purnia and Rohtas. Beyond 12th Five Year Plan, there is no provision of identification of new trauma care facilities under this Scheme and the financial support is in terms of release of the balance share of Central assistance within the total approved cost of the approved facilities/ units during the 11th and 12th FYP. Government of Bihar has already sanctioned Government Medical College and Hospital with Trauma Care Facilities in Begusarai which also covers Barauni.
