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

RAJYA SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 432 TO BE ANSWERED ON 06th FEBRUARY, 2024

STATUS OF THE SHELTER HOMES

432. SMT. DARSHANA SINGH:

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

- (a) the details of total number of temporary or permanent shelter homes running in the city in and around All India Institute of Medical Sciences (AIIMS), New Delhi for poor outstation patients and their relatives visiting the hospital for treatment along with the number of beds available therein;
- (b) whether Government is aware that a large number of poor outstation patients along with their relatives visiting AIIMS, New Delhi for treatment have to sleep often outside or nearby places of hospital in extreme weather due to scarcity of temporary or permanent shelter and if so, the details thereof?

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

(a) & (b): All India Institute of Medical Sciences (AIIMS), New Delhi has provision of over 1500 beds with all facilities for the attendants of patients at five locations within the premises of the Institute. Delhi Urban Shelter Improvement Board (DUSIB), Government of NCT of Delhi provides 15 tented shelter homes for such persons nearby AIIMS during winter season.
