

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

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2946
TO BE ANSWERED ON 2ND DECEMBER, 2016**

RESERVATION IN MEDICAL COLLEGES FOR WEAKER SECTION

**2946. SHRI RAM TAHAL CHOUDHARY:
SHRI MANSUKHBHAI DHANJIBHAI VASAVA:**

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

- (a) whether there is any reservation quota for financially weaker students in medical colleges;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) if not, the reasons therefor;
- (d) whether children from financially weaker sections of society have been admitted in the medical colleges of various States in the country under reservation quota during the last three years; and
- (e) if not, the reasons therefor?

**ANSWER
THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND
FAMILY WELFARE
(SHRI FAGGAN SINGH KULASTE)**

(a) to (c): There is no provision for reservation for financially weaker students in Government Medical Colleges under the All India Quota Scheme being implemented by the Central Government. The reservation norms for State/UT Quota Seats in Government Medical Colleges are determined by the respective State/UT Governments.

(d) & (e): No such data is maintained centrally.