

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF AYURVEDA, YOGA & NATUROPATHY,
UNANI, SIDDHA AND HOMOEOPATHY
(AYUSH)**

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 5016
TO BE ANSWERED ON 16TH DECEMBER, 2016**

SETTING UP OF CANCER RESEARCH CENTRE

5016 DR. KIRIT SOMAIYA:

Will the Minister of **AYURVEDA, YOGA AND NATUROPATHY, UNANI, SIDDHA AND HOMOEOPATHY (AYUSH)** be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has received any proposal for the construction of a Cancer Research Centre/ Institute/ Hospital at Bhandup (E), Mumbai in coordination with Tata Cancer Hospital;
- (b) if so, the details thereof and the action taken by the Government thereon;
- (c) whether AYUSH has asked CPWD to give them a plot of three acres at Bhandup (E) and if so, the details thereof and the action taken by CPWD thereon;
- (d) whether the Government has received suggestion from the public representatives for swapping CPWD with that of AYUSH so that the hospital can be built in a single plot of AYUSH; and
- (e) if so, the details thereof and the action taken by the Government thereon?

ANSWER

**THE MINISTER OF STATE (IC) OF THE MINISTRY OF AYURVEDA,
YOGA & NATUROPATHY, UNANI, SIDDHA AND HOMOEOPATHY
(SHRI SHRIPAD YESSO NAIK)**

(a) to (c): The Ministry of AYUSH has decided to set up a Cancer Research Institute In Ayurveda in Bhandup (East), Mumbai in coordination with Tata Cancer Hospital. Ministry of Urban Development (i.e the parent Ministry of CPWD) has agreed to transfer a plot of land measuring 2.8 acres at Bhandup (E), Mumbai in favour of Ministry of AYUSH for construction of building of Central Ayurveda Research Institute for Cancer.

(d) & (e): The Government has received suggestion to this effect from Dr. Kirit Somaiya, Hon'ble Member of Parliament, which has been pursued by this Ministry and obtained an affirmative response from the Ministry of Urban Development.

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