GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 211 TO BE ANSWERED ON 17.07.2017

RESERVATION FOR IP'S WARDS IN ESIC MEDICAL COLLEGES

211. SHRI N.K. PREMACHANDRAN:

Will the Minister of LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT be pleased to state:

- (a)whether the Government has taken note that the criteria fixed by the Government for selection of Insured Pension (IP's) children for MBBS/BDS course in ESIC Medical College is not favourable to the insured person and their children and if so, the details thereof;
- (b) the action taken by the Government to liberalize the criteria so as to fill all the seats reserved for the IP's children in ESIC Medical Colleges; and
- (c)the details regarding the total seats available for IP's children in the ESIC Medical Colleges and Dental Colleges during the academic year 2016-17?

 ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE (IC) FOR LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT (SHRI BANDARU DATTATREYA)

- (a) & (b): The Government has already taken note and accordingly, Employees State Insurance Corporation (ESIC) policy defining the criteria for eligibility under "Insured Person Quota" for preferential admissions to MBBS/BDS course in its Medical/ Dental Colleges has been amended for 2017-18. As per revised criteria, wards of IPs having upto three years of insurable employment have also been included.
- (c):- The details regarding total seats for IP's children in ESI Medical Colleges during 2016-17 is as under:-

Name of ESI Medical College	No. of seats
Joka- Kolkata, West Bengal	52
Rajaji Nagar, Bangalore, Karnataka	45
Gulbarga, Karnataka	45
K.K. Nagar, Chennai, Tamil Nadu	20
Faridabad, Haryana	35
Coimbatore, Tamil Nadu	20
Sanathnagar	50
Total	267
