

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

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3425
TO BE ANSWERED ON 4TH AUGUST, 2017**

NIMS/RIMS

3425. SHRI J.C. DIVAKAR REDDY:

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

- (a) the funds released to Nizam's Institute of Medical Sciences (NIMS)/ Rajiv Gandhi Institute of Medical Sciences (RIMS) in Andhra Pradesh during the last three years; and
- (b) the steps being taken to set up NIMS in Andhra Pradesh after bifurcation of the State?

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

(a): Government of India has taken up upgradation of Nizam's Institute of Medical Sciences (NIMS) under Phase – I of Pradhan Mantri Swasthya Suraksha Yojana (PMSSY) and Rajiv Gandhi Institute of Medical Sciences (RIMS) under Phase – III of PMSSY. PMSSY, being a Central Sector scheme, is implemented by the Ministry directly through Project Consultant/ Executing Agencies appointed by it and funds are released to the Project Consultants/ Executing Agencies accordingly.

(b): NIMS, Hyderabad was already upgraded under PMSSY Phase – I and hence, there is no proposal to set up/ upgrade NIMS further under the scheme