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

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2470 TO BE ANSWERED ON 9TH MARCH, 2018

SUPER SPECIALITY SAARC HOSPITAL

2470. SHRI GURJEET SINGH AUJLA:

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

- (a) whether there is any delay in setting up of Super Speciality SAARC hospital at Amritsar;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether there is any proposal for promotion of Medical Tourism at Amritsar; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI ASHWINI KUMAR CHOUBEY)

- (a) & (b): As per information received from the SAARC Division of the Ministry of External Affairs, no proposal to set up a Super Specialty SAARC Hospital in Amritsar is under consideration of the Government within the SAARC framework or under any SAARC mechanism.
- (c) & (d): No proposal on promotion of medical Tourism at Amritsar is under consideration of the Ministry of Health & Family Welfare.