

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS
DEPARTMENT OF PHARMACEUTICALS**

LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION No. 2782
TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 13th March, 2018

Change in DPCO

2782. SHRI PRABHAKAR REDDY KOTHA:
SHRI Y.S. AVINASH REDDY:

Will the Minister of CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the Government is contemplating on bringing considerable changes in the Drug Price Control Order (DPCO);

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the details of the changes likely to be incorporated in the fresh DPCO?

ANSWER

**MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS;
MINISTRY OF SHIPPING AND MINISTRY OF CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS
(SHRI MANSUKH L. MANDAVIYA)**

(a): The Drugs (Prices Control) Order, 2013 is amended from time to time keeping in view the requirements of the time and other developments.

(b) & (c): In view of reply to (a) above, does not arise.

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