

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

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.2037
TO BE ANSWERED ON 21ST DECEMBER, 2018**

RECRUITMENT OF YOGA TEACHERS

**2037. SHRI JANARDAN MISHRA:
SHRI NAGAR RODMAL:**

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

- (a) whether the Government is formulating any action plan for recruitment of yoga teachers and setting up of centres in the country to promote yoga and naturopathy;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) the number of yoga teachers recruited and the number of centres set up in Madhya Pradesh; and
- (d) the number of yoga teachers recruited so far during the year 2016-2018?

ANSWER

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

(a) to (d): Health is a State subject, and deploying Yoga teachers and setting up of Yoga centres on a large scale to promote Yoga & Naturopathy therefore fall under the purview of State Governments.

However, there are three autonomous bodies namely Morarji Desai National Institute of Yoga (MDNIY), Delhi, Central Council for Research in Yoga & Naturopathy (CCRYN), Delhi, and National Institute of Naturopathy (NIN), Pune under Ministry of AYUSH, which are engaged in Yoga & Naturopathy. These institutions recruit Yoga teachers on a limited scale for promotion of Yoga & Naturopathy within their respective jurisdictions.

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