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

LOK SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO. 13 TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 21ST JUNE, 2019 SETTING UP OF NEW AIMS INSTITUTIONS

*13. SHRI MOHANBHAI KALYANJI KUNDARIYA:

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

- (a) whether the Government has started the construction of proposed AIIMS at Rajkot;
- (b) if so, the details thereof along with the funds allocated so far and the total estimated cost of the project including land acquisition and pre-construction activities:
- (c) the details of the studies/surveys, clearance and NOC's obtained for the purpose; and
- (d) the time by which the proposed premier hospital will be operationalized?

ANSWER THE MINISTER OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (DR. HARSH VARDHAN)

(a) to (d): A statement is laid on the Table of the House

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO LOK SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO. 13* FOR 21ST JUNE, 2019

- a. Cabinet has approved setting up of AIIMS at Rajkot, Gujarat, at the cost of Rs.1195 crore on 10.1.2019. Executing Agency for pre-investment activities has been appointed.
- b. Approved cost of the project including cost of pre-construction activities is
 Rs. 1195 crore. State Government has to handover free of cost land to
 Government of India for setting up of AIIMS.
- c. Pre-investment activities including soil survey, topographical survey is in progress.
- d. The Cabinet approved timeline for completion of the project is October, 2022.
