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

# LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.4471 TO BE ANSWERED ON 19<sup>TH</sup> JULY. 2019

### RELAXATION FOR PRIVATE EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS

## 4471. SHRI LAVU SRI KRISHNA DEVARAYALU:

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

- (a) whether the Government offers any financial or institutional relaxation for private educational institutions in setting up new medical colleges, if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor;
- (b) whether the Government plans to offer any such relaxation in the near future, if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether any form of relaxation gives private medical colleges better advantage compared to All India Institute of Medical Sciences or other Government medical colleges; 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) to (d): No. The regulations of Medical Council of India prescribe minimum standard requirements and criteria for establishment of new medical college. The MCI regulations are statutory in nature and binding on both Government and Private medical colleges/ institutions. The said regulation do not provide for any relaxation for private institutions in setting up new medical colleges.