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

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. †2721 TO BE ANSWERED ON 04TH AUGUST, 2023

CONVERTING KALPANA CHAWALA HOSPITALS INTO AIIMS

†2721: SHRI SANJAY BHATIA:

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

- (a) whether the Kalpana Chawla Govt. Medical College & Hospital, Karnal is the only prominent hospital at National Highway 44 for taking care medical needs of people coming from Haryana and Uttar Pradesh and attending to patients afflicted with accident;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether the Government contemplates to convert Kalpana Chawla Hospital into All India Institute of Medical Sciences to provide better health facilities to the people of Haryana and Uttar Pradesh; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?

ANSWER THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (DR. BHARATI PRAVIN PAWAR)

(a) to (d): "Public Health and Hospitals" is a State subject and the primary responsibility of strengthening the medical infrastructure lies with the respective State Governments. The Government of India has launched several Schemes like National Health Mission; Pradhan Mantri Swasthya Suraksha Yojana (PMSSY), National Programme for Prevention and Management of Trauma and Burn Injuries (NPPMT&BI) and Establishment of new Medical Colleges attached with existing district/referral hospitals for strengthening the medical infrastructure in various States/UTs.

Under PMSSY, 2 All India Institute of Medical Science, one each at Raebareli and Gorakhpur have already been established in Uttar Pradesh. Further, under another component of the

Scheme, upgradation of 11 Government Medical Colleges by way of construction of Super Specialty Block (SSB) have been taken up in Uttar Pradesh.

Under National Programme for Prevention and Management of Trauma and Burn Injuries (NPPMT&BI), 03 centres in Haryana & 13 centres in Uttar Pradesh have been supported for establishment of trauma care facilities.

As informed by state government of Haryana, other Medical Colleges or Medical-teaching institutions located on or near the National Highway-44 are as under:

- i) Adesh Medical College, Shahbad, Kurukshetra is situated on the National Highway-44
- ii) Pt. Deen Dayal Upadhayaya, University of Health Sciences, Kutail, Karnal.
- iii) BPS GMC (W), Khanpur Kalan, Sonepat
- iv) N.C. Medical College, Israna
