

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

LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 433  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 21<sup>ST</sup> JULY, 2023

**India MedTech Expo-23**

**433. SHRI BIDYUT BARAN MAHATO:  
SHRI PRATAPRAO JADHAV:  
SHRI SUDHEER GUPTA:  
SHRI DHAIRYASHEEL SAMBAJIRAO MANE:  
SHRI SHRIRANG APPA BARNE:  
SHRI SANJAY SADASHIVRAO MANDLIK:**

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

- (a) whether the Government is going to organize a large scale National level three day India MedTech Expo- 2023 for first time in the country in association with the Indian medical devices industry at Gandhinagar;
- (b) if so, the details thereof and the aims and objectives of organizing such Expo in the country along with the National and International Medical Device companies and MSME that are likely to participate therein;
- (c) the manner in which the Expo will give much needed boost to this Sunrise Sector; and
- (d) the details of other steps taken/proposed to be taken by the Government to create a medical device ecosystem in the country and build a brand identity for the Indian MedTech sector?

**ANSWER**

**MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CHEMICALS & FERTILIZERS  
(SHRI BHAGWANTH KHUBA)**

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(a) to (c): The Government is organising India MedTech Expo (IMTE) 2023 from 17<sup>th</sup>-19<sup>th</sup> August 2023 at Gandhinagar, Gujarat. The aim of the event is to showcase the capabilities of Indian Medical Devices Industry and to create opportunities to network and explore collaborations both for the sector's growth in India and its potential contribution globally. The event is designed to create opportunities to network and explore collaborations, by bringing together all the stakeholders, including PLI participants, Start-ups, MSMEs, R&D facilities, Innovative entrepreneurs, Incubators, Public and Private hospitals, Academia, Research institutions, Investors, various state governments etc.

(d): The Government of India has taken various policy and schematic measures to promote the medical devices sector, including launch of Production Linked Incentive (PLI) Scheme for promoting Domestic Manufacturing of Medical Devices with total financial outlay Rs. 3,420 crore. In another PLI Scheme for Pharmaceuticals with a total outlay of Rs. 15,000 cr., one of the category included is In-Vitro Diagnostic (IVD) medical devices. Under the scheme for Promotion of Medical Devices Parks financial assistance of Rs. 100 crore each to 4 selected States/Union Territories is provided for creation of Common Infrastructure Facilities. In addition, the Department has recently notified Medical Devices Policy and has set up Export Promotion Council for Medical Devices.

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