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

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1075 TO BE ANSWERED ON 22ND NOVEMBER. 2019

FUNDS TO MEDICAL COLLEGE IN NAGALAND

1075. SHRI TOKHEHO YEPTHOMI:

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

- (a) the amount of fund released till October, 2019 for Nagaland Medical College; and
- (b) the current status of the said college and time by which the college is likely to become functional?

ANSWER THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI ASHWINI KUMAR CHOUBEY)

(a) & (b): The Ministry of Health & Family Welfare administers a Centrally Sponsored Scheme namely, 'Establishment of new Medical Colleges attached with existing district/referral hospitals'. Under Phase-I of this Scheme, one medical college has been approved in Nagaland to be established at Naga Hospital (Kohima) at a cost of Rs.189 crore to be shared between Centre and State Government in the ratio of 90:10. Complete amount of Central share amounting to Rs.171.10 crore has been released to the State Government of Nagaland for establishment of this Medical College. The State has reported progress of 16.50% on Ministry's Dashboard. The State Government has been requested to expedite the completion of this Medical College.