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

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.3085 TO BE ANSWERED ON $6^{\rm TH}$ DECEMBER, 2019

ONLINE INFORMATION FOR AVAILABILITY OF BEDS

3085. SHRI RAJAN VICHARE:

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

- (a) whether the Government proposes to start providing online information about availability of beds and ventilators in Government hospitals so as to facilitate the general public with this information at home;
- (b) if so, the details thereof, State wise; and
- (c) if not, the reasons therefor?

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

(a) to (c) 'Public Health and Hospitals' being state subjects, such information is not maintained centrally.

However, as far as three Central Government Hospitals in Delhi i.e. Safdarjung, Dr. Ram Manohar Lohia and Lady Hardinge Medical College & Associated Hospitals are concerned, the online information regarding availability of Intensive Care Unit (ICU) beds and ventilators is being provided on respective hospital's website.

Further, centralised information regarding availability of Intensive Care Unit (ICU) beds and ventilators for above mentioned Central Government Hospitals is now available on website of Safdarjung Hospital. The URL of the website is as under:

http://www.vmmc-sjh.nic.in/forms/contentpage.aspx?lid=3255