

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

**LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.3110  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 6<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER, 2019**

**PROCUREMENT OF HIGH ENERGY LINEAR ACCELERATOR BY NEIGRIHMS**

**3110. SHRI VINCENT H. PALA:**

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

(a) whether the Government is aware of the Tender issued by North Eastern Indira Gandhi Regional Institute of Health and Medical Sciences (NEIGRIHMS), Shillong in the year 2017 for procurement of one High Energy Linear Accelerator which is used for Radiotherapy Treatment in cancer care and if so, the details thereof;

(b) the reasons behind the delay in procurement of High Energy Linear Accelerator at NEIGRIHMS, Shillong; and

(c) the steps taken by the Government to expedite the approval process for procurement of High Energy Linear Accelerator at NEIGRIHMS and expected timeline by which the Government is likely to issue the approval?

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

(a) to (c): A proposal for award of contract to L1 bidder was received on 18.06.2019 from NEIGRIHMS, Shillong seeking approval of the Ministry in connection with procurement of one unit of High Energy Linear Accelerator for the Department of Radiation Oncology/Regional Cancer Centre, NEIGRIHMS. On going through the proposal, some deficiencies were noticed and clarifications were sought from NEIGRIHMS, Shillong vide letter dated. 18.10.2019. Further clarification on this matter has been sought from NEIGRIHMS, Shillong on 04.12.2019.