

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

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 4583
TO BE ANSWERED ON 20TH MARCH, 2020
SATELLITE CENTRES**

4583. SHRI GURJEET SINGH AUJLA:

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

- (a) whether the Government is planning to start a PGI satellite centre at Ferozpur in Punjab;
- (b) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor;
- (c) whether the State Government has requested his Ministry to expedite the matter; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof and the action taken by the Government in this regard?

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

(a) & (b): Yes, the Government has approved the proposal for setting up of PGI Satellite Centre at Ferozpur in Punjab at an estimated cost of Rs.490.54 crore. A land measuring 27.5 acre has been taken over by the Institute from the State Government of Punjab for the project.

(c) & (d): No references have been received from the State Government for expediting the matter after the approval.