

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF AYURVEDA, YOGA & NATUROPATHY,
UNANI, SIDDHA AND HOMOEOPATHY
(AYUSH)**

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1123
TO BE ANSWERED ON 18th SEPTEMBER, 2020**

RESEARCH FOR COVID-19 DRUG

1123. SHRI BALAK NATH:

Will the Minister of **AYURVEDA, YOGA AND NATUROPATHY, UNANI, SIDDHA AND HOMOEOPATHY (AYUSH)** be pleased to state:

- (a) whether any research work is being conducted by the Government to develop COVID-19 vaccine;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the names of the companies which have been authorised to carry out field trials tests?

**ANSWER
THE MINISTER OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE
(DR. HARSH VARDHAN)**

(a) & (b): Ministry of AYUSH has not undertaken any research work to develop COVID-19 vaccine.

(c): Does not arise.