

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

**LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2157  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 23<sup>RD</sup> SEPTEMBER, 2020**

**CO-OPERATION IN HOMEOPATHY AND TRADITIONAL MEDICINE**

**2157. SHRI ANIL FIROJIYA:**

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

- (a) whether the Government has set up any forum to facilitate Global co-operation in the field of Homoeopathy;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether the Government has approved any agreement to promote co-operation in the field of traditional system of medicines and Homoeopathy; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof?

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

(a) & (b): Ministry of AYUSH under Central Sector Scheme for promotion of International Cooperation, (IC Scheme), facilitates proposals for global co-operation in the field of AYUSH systems of medicine including Homoeopathy.

(c) & (d): As of now, Ministry of AYUSH has signed 23 Country to Country Memoranda of Understanding (MoUs) for cooperation in field of Traditional systems of medicine and Homoeopathy. 23 MoUs have been signed with foreign institutes / universities for undertaking collaborative research. To promote global cooperation in the field of AYUSH education, 13 MoUs for setting up AYUSH Academic Chairs have been signed with foreign institutes / universities where AYUSH experts are deputed to undertake teaching/ training / research activities.

“Delhi Declaration on Traditional Medicine for The South-East Asian Countries” was signed by the members of South-East Asian countries during International Conference on Traditional Medicine for South-East Asian Countries organized by the Ministry of AYUSH during 12-14 February 2013, New Delhi for cooperation, collaboration and mutual support amongst the South-East Asian Countries in Traditional Medicine.