GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS DEPARTMENT OF PHARMACEUTICALS

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION No. 1223 TO BE ANSWERED ON 09th February, 2021

Drug Suppliers under PMBJP

1223. SHRI DUSHYANT SINGH:

Will the Minister of **CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS** be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of the drug suppliers in the State of Rajasthan under the Pradhan Mantri Bhartiya Janaushadhi Pariyojana (PMBJP);
- (b) the details of the time period in which orders placed by the retail seller is delivered to the Jan Aushadhi Kendras premises by the Bureau of Pharma PSUs of India (BPPI) in Rajasthan;
- (c) whether the details of drugs available in the inventory of the supplier along with the expected time of delivery if the order is placed, has been displayed in the software that is used by the seller under the scheme;
- (d) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor;
- (e) whether product tracking mechanism are available for drug suppliers after the medicines reach BPPI in the country;
- (f) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor; and
- (g) the frequency of updation of the Jan-Aushadi Sugam App?

ANSWER

MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS (SHRI D. V. SADANANDA GOWDA)

- (a) The medicines to the Pradhan Mantri Bhartiya Janaushadhi Kendras (PMBJKs) of Rajasthan State are being supplied through distributor, viz., namely Indian Medical Hall at Jaipur. In addition, the medicines are also supplied through central and regional warehouses situated at Gurugram, Chennai and Guwahati.
- (b) The consignment at PMBJKs across the state of Rajasthan are delivered through the distributor situated at Jaipur within 3 days. The Bureau of Pharma PSUs of India (BPPI), the implementing agency of PMBJP is also ensuring the dispatch of medicines from its modern IT-enabled warehouses at Gurugram, Chennai and Guwahati within 48 hours of receipt of purchase order from PMBJKs. The maximum delivery time of the consignments after dispatch is maximum 10 days.
- (c) & (d) BPPI, has implemented 'Point of Sale' software application at all PMBJKs. The system forecasts the stock level of medicines, take real-time orders from PMBJKs, tracks the consignment of the medicines, etc.
- (e) & (f) BPPI has implemented Advance Supply Notice portal for suppliers to track the delivery of the consignment at BPPI warehouses and give them advance intimation for pending quantity.
- (g) Jan-Aushadhi Sugam mobile application is synchronized automatically from the central system of BPPI on weekly basis with updated data like medicine basket, their prices, location and other details of PMBJKs, etc.