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

## LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1954 TO BE ANSWERED ON 12<sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY, 2021

## LEPROSY IN CORONA VIRUS PATIENTS

#### **1954.SHRIMATI RANJANBEN DHANANJAY BHATT:**

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

(a) whether people infected with Corona virus are getting affected by leprosy after treatment in several States/UTs of the country; and

(b) if so, the steps proposed to be 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): No case has been reported from any States/UTs, where people infected with Corona virus are getting affected by leprosy after treatment.

(b): Not applicable, in view of (a) above.