

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS**

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.2648
TO BE ANSWERED ON 10.03.2021**

VACCINE MAITRI

2648. SHRI ARVIND DHARMAPURI:

Will the Minister of EXTERNAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government is considering to expand the ongoing 'Vaccine Maitri' initiative and if so, the details thereof;
- (b) the criteria to decide dispatch of vaccines to other countries; and
- (c) the country-wise details of number of vaccines shipped from India to various countries under the 'Vaccine Maitri' initiative ?

ANSWER

**THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS
[SHRI V. MURALEEDHARAN]**

(a) & (b) India started external supplies of Made in India vaccines on 20 January 2021. Supplies are being undertaken in three ways- grant, commercial sales by the manufacturers and through the GAVI's COVAX facility. External supplies are done factoring in domestic production, requirements of the National Vaccination programme and requests for the Made in India vaccines. The supplies will continue in weeks and months ahead, in a phased manner, depending on production and needs of the national vaccination programme.

(c) Country-wise details of vaccines shipped from India till 4 March 2021 are placed at Annexure I.

Annexure-I to Lok Sabha Unstarred Question No.2648

Made in India Vaccine Supplies till 4 March 2021 (In lakhs)					
Sl. No.	Country	Grant	Commercial	COVAX	Total Supplies
		Quantity	Quantity	Quantity	
1	Bangladesh	20	70		90
2	Myanmar	17	20		37
3	Nepal	10	10		20
4	Bhutan	1.5			1.5
5	Maldives	2			2
6	Mauritius	1	1		2
7	Seychelles	0.5			0.5
8	Sri Lanka	5	5		10
9	Bahrain	1			1
10	Brazil		40		40
11	Morocoo		70		70
12	Oman	1			1
13	Egypt		0.5		0.5
14	Algeria		0.5		0.5
15	South Africa		10		10
16	Kuwait		2		2
17	UAE		2		2
18	Afghanistan	5			5
19	Barbados	1			1
20	Dominica	0.7			0.7
21	Mexico		8.7		8.7
22	Dominican Republic	0.3	0.2		0.5
23	Saudi Arabia		30		30
24	El Salvador		0.2		0.2
25	Argentina		5.8		5.8
26	Serbia		1.5		1.5
27	UN Health workers		1		1
28	Mongolia	1.5			1.5
29	Ukraine		5		5
30	Ghana	0.5		6	6.5
31	Ivory Coast	0.5		5.04	5.54
32	St. Lucia	0.25			0.25
33	St. Kitts & Nevis	0.2			0.2
34	St. Vincent & Grenadines	0.4			0.4

35	Suriname	0.5			0.5
36	Antigua & Barbuda	0.4			0.4
37	DR Congo	0.5		17.16	17.66
38	Angola			6.24	6.24
39	Gambia			0.36	0.36
40	Nigeria			39.24	39.24
41	Cambodia			3.24	3.24
42	Kenya			10.20	10.2
43	Lesotho			0.36	0.36
44	Rwanda	0.5		2.40	2.9
45	Sao Tome & Principe			0.24	0.24
46	Senegal	0.25		3.24	3.49
47	Guatemala	2			2
48	Canada		5.00		5
49	Mali			3.96	3.96
50	Sudan			8.28	8.28
51	Liberia			0.96	0.96
52	Malawi			3.60	3.6
53	Uganda			8.64	8.64
Total		73.5	288.4	119.16	481.06
