

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

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.2825
TO BE ANSWERED ON 12TH March, 2021**

POLICY AND FACILITATION BUREAU FOR AYUSH SECTOR

2825. SHRIMATI MEENAKASHI LEKHI:

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

- (a) whether the Strategic Policy and Facilitation Bureau for promotion of AYUSH has been set up by the Government;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the amount of investment facilitated for the Strategic Policy and Facilitation Bureau in the AYUSH sector?

**ANSWER
THE MINISTER OF STATE (IC) OF THE MINISTRY OF YOUTH AFFAIRS AND
SPORTS AND ADDITIONAL CHARGE OF MINISTER OF STATE (IC) OF THE
MINISTRY OF AYURVEDA,
YOGA & NATUROPATHY, UNANI, SIDDHA AND HOMOEOPATHY
(SHRI KIREN RIJJU)**

(a): Yes,

(b): M/o AYUSH has engaged Invest India for the establishment of Strategic Policy and Facilitation Bureau in respect of M/o AYUSH initially from 01.11.2020 to 31.03.2021. The Strategic Policy and Facilitation Bureau (SPFB) activities and deliverable are as under:-

- i) Policy, Strategy and Investment Facilitation Unit
- ii) Project Monitoring for Inter-Ministerial Groups
- iii) Skill Development Initiatives
- iv) States AYUSH Policy Benchmarking Analysis
- v) Strategic Intelligence Research Unit
- vi) Innovation Program (Startup India & AGNIi)

Ministry of AYUSH and Invest India has organized following 03 roundtable conference as a part of Strategic Policy and Facilitation Bureau (SPFB) activity-

Date	Theme
21.01.2021	AYUSH Integrated Classification (HS Codes)
22.02.2021	AYUSH Education & Training
26.02.2021	Global Promotion of AYUSH products

(c): The amount of the investment facilitated for the FY 2020-21 is Rs.46.96 lakh only.