

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

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.4036
TO BE ANSWERED ON 19TH March, 2021**

AYUSH TREATMENT FOR COVID-19

4036. SHRI KOTHA PRABHAKAR REDDY:

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

- (a) whether the Indian Medical Association has expressed concerns about issuing AYUSH treatment protocol for COVID-19 treatment including alternative modes of treatment;
- (b) if so, the details thereof including the basis of anecdotal evidence and individual subjective experiences, if any; and
- (c) the other grounds which were taken into consideration before implementing the AYUSH treatment protocol?

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): National Medical Commission (NMC) has informed that they have not received any such concern from India Medical Association about issuing AYUSH treatment protocol for COVID-19 treatment including alternative modes of treatment.

(b) & (c): In view of (a) above, the questions do not arise.