GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF AYUSH

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3131 TO BE ANSWERED ON 06TH AUGUST, 2021

AYURVEDA HOSPITALS

3131 DR. SANJAY JAISWAL:

Will the Minister of **AYUSH** be pleased to state:

- (a) the total number of Ayurveda hospitals being run in Bihar, district-wise particularly in Gopalganj;
- (b) the number of Ayurveda hospitals which are being run in their own buildings and those being run in rented buildings in Bihar, district-wise particularly in Goplaganj;
- (c) the details of posts of officers, doctors and staff sanctioned for Ayurveda hospitals in Bihar along with the posts against which appointments have been made and those lying vacant; and
- (d) the corrective measures taken by the Government to provide AYUSH hospital in each district of Bihar, particularly in Gopalganj?

ANSWER THE MINISTER OF AYUSH (SHRI SARBANANDA SONOWAL)

- (a) & (b): There are five Ayurveda hospitals being run one each in the districts of Begusarai, Bhagalpur, Buxer, Darbhanga and Patna in Bihar. However, there is no Ayurveda hospital in Gopalganj. As per the information received from State Government of Bihar, these Ayurveda hospitals are being run in own buildings.
- (c): The details of posts of medical officer/doctors and other staff sanctioned, filled and lying vacant in Ayurveda hospitals in Bihar is at **Annexure-I.**
- (d): Under NAM, there is provision of setting up of up to 50 bedded integrated AYUSH hospitals in the State/UTs including in the State of Bihar. Ministry of Ayush has approved one 50 bedded integrated AYUSH Hospital at Patna in 2015-16. Further, State Government has submitted a proposal for setting up of 50 bedded integrated AYUSH hospitals at Gopalganj in 2020-21 through SAAP. However, SAAP could not be approved since State Government has not submitted the Utilization Certificates for Grant-in-aid released earlier under the National AYUSH Mission.

The details of posts of medical officer/doctors and other staff sanctioned, filled and lying vacant in Ayurveda hospitals in Bihar

Annexure-I

Details of post	Sanctioned	Filled	Lying vacant
Medical officer/doctor	76	29	47
Other staff	408	235	173
Total	484	264	220