

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT**

LOK SABHA

**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2391
TO BE ANSWERED ON 13.12.2021**

ESI EMPANELLED HOSPITALS

2391. SHRI MARGANI BHARAT:

Will the Minister of LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) whether it is true that the number of ESI empanelled hospitals in the country is only about 1400;**
- (b) whether it is also true that there are only 38 ESI empanelled private hospitals in Andhra Pradesh;**
- (c) if so, whether the Government is aware of the problems being faced by workers in the absence of more and more empanelled hospitals to get treatment during emergency and has received requests to add more and more referral hospitals; and**
- (d) if so, the action taken by the Government in this regard, with a particular reference to Andhra Pradesh?**

ANSWER

**MINISTER OF STATE FOR LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT
(SHRI RAMESWAR TELI)**

(a) to (d): There are 2270 tie-up hospitals empanelled across the country for cashless medical service to Employees' State Insurance (ESI) beneficiaries. In the state of Andhra Pradesh, there are 101 ESI empanelled private hospitals.
