

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE**

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. †1734
TO BE ANSWERED ON 11th FEBRUARY, 2022**

AVAILABILITY OF COVID-19 VACCINE IN MEDICAL SHOPS

†1734. SHRIMATI RANJANBEN DHANANJAY BHATT:

Will the Minister of **HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE** be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has received proposals from the stakeholders to permit the sale of COVID-19 vaccines in medical shops;
- (b) if so, the details thereof and the steps taken by the Government in this regard; and
- (c) if not, the reasons therefor?

**ANSWER
THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND
FAMILY WELFARE
(DR. BHARATI PRAVIN PAWAR)**

(a) to (c): Central Drugs Standard Control Organisation (CDSCO) under the Ministry of Health & Family Welfare has approved COVID-19 vaccines and permitted them for supply in programmatic setting through government and private supply chain.
