

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

**LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1835  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 11<sup>th</sup> FEBRUARY 2022**

**FUNDS FOR COVID VACCINATIONS**

**1835. SHRI T.R.V.S RAMESH:  
Dr. TALARI RANGAIAH:**

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

- (a) whether the Ministry is aware that Rs. 35,000 crores have been allocated for COVID vaccination in the country;
- (b) if so, details of the allocated funds that have been utilized/spent for vaccination, State/UT-wise;
- (c) whether there is a need for additional funds for vaccination and, if so, whether his Ministry approached the Ministry of Finance in this regard; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof and the response of the Finance Ministry in this regard?

**ANSWER**

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

(a) to (d) In the current financial year i.e. 2021-22, Rs. 35,000 crore has been budgeted for implementation of COVID-19 Vaccination Programme. As on 7<sup>th</sup> February 2022, an expenditure of Rs. 27,945.14 crore has been incurred against this allocation which has been utilized for procurement of COVID-19 vaccine for free of cost supply to States/UTs.

A budgetary provision of Rs. 5,000 crore has been made in 2022-23 to support Covid-19 vaccination, by the Ministry of Finance.

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