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

# LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. †3125 TO BE ANSWERED ON 09<sup>th</sup> AUGUST, 2024

## MEDICAL COLLEGE IN RAJASTHAN

### **†3125.** SHRI BRIJENDRA SINGH OLA:

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

(a) whether a medical college has been approved in Jhunjhunu district Headquarter of Rajasthan and if so, the details thereof;

(b) whether the State Government has sought necessary approval from the National Medical Commission for admission of students in the said medical college and if so, the details thereof;

(c) the time by which the said approvals are likely to be granted;

(d) whether the Government is contemplating to grant immediate approval to ensure the admission of students in the said medical college by this year; and

(e) if so, the details thereof along with the steps taken by the Government in this regard?

#### ANSWER

#### THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SMT. ANUPRIYA PATEL)

(a) to (e): Government Medical College(GMC), Jhunjhunu was approved under Phase-III of the Centrally Sponsored Scheme (CSS) for 'Establishment of new medical colleges attached with existing district/referral hospitals' in the year 2019 at a cost of Rs.325 crores to be shared between Centre and State Government in the ratio of 60:40. Out of Central Share of Rs.195 crore, Rs. 100 crore has already been released to Government of Rajasthan. As per guidelines of the Scheme, the planning, execution and commissioning of the medical colleges approved under the scheme are to be done by the State Government.

Further, GMC, Jhunjhunu has applied to National Medical Commission (NMC) for Letter of Permission (LoP) for the academic year 2024-25.

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