## GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF AYUSH

## LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 797 ANSWERED ON 26/07/2024

## **National AYUSH Mission**

†797 Shri Gopal Jee Thakur:

Will the Minister of AYUSH be pleased to state:

- (a) the manner in which the Government implements the National AYUSH Mission;
- (b) the total number of Ayush hospitals established and the number of new Ayush Universities to be set up in Bihar under the National AYUSH Mission;
- (c) the present status of the progress made so far in proposed Ayush hospital in Darbhanga;
- (d) whether the Government also proposes to set up new Ayush Universities in other parts of the country; and
- (e) if so, the details thereof, State/UT-wise, including Darbhanga district of Bihar?

## ANSWER THE MINISTER OF STATE (IC) OF THE MINISTRY OF AYUSH (SHRI PRATAPRAO JADHAV)

- (a) Ministry of Ayush is implementing the Centrally Sponsored Scheme of National Ayush Mission (NAM) through State/UT Governments and providing financial assistance to them for development and promotion of Ayush system in the country under different activities against their proposals received through State Annual Action Plans (SAAPs) as per the provisions of NAM guidelines.
- (b) to (e) Public Health being a State subject, the establishment of Ayush hospital & Ayush Universities in the States including Bihar comes under the purview of respective State Government. However, under the NAM, there is a provision of financial assistance to State/UT Governments for the establishment of 50/30/10 bedded Integrated Ayush Hospitals and accordingly they may avail financial assistance by submitting suitable proposals through SAAPs as per provisions of NAM guidelines. As far as the establishment of Ayush University is concerned, there is no such provision under NAM guidelines.

Further, as per the proposals received from the State Government of Bihar through SAAPs, Ministry of Ayush has supported 4 units of 50 bedded Integrated Ayush Hospital at Patna, Darbhanga, Khagaria, & Gopalganj Districts. As reported by the State Government, a letter has been issued to Bihar Medical Services and Infrastructure Corporation Limited (BMSICL) to prepare the Detailed Project Report (DPR) of 50 Bedded Integrated Ayush Hospital at Darbhanga.

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