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

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 4220 TO BE ANSWERED ON 20TH DECEMBER 2024

ESTABLISHMENT OF AIIMS, MADURAI

4220. Dr. RANI SRIKUMAR:

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

(a) the details of the funds allocated by the Government for the establishment of AIIMS, Madurai including provisions for infrastructure development and modernization, and the specific details of their utilization till date;

(b) the total amount of funds spent/utilized so far on the construction of AIIMS, Madurai, along with the projected timeline for the completion of the said project; and

(c) the measures being taken to ensure that students of AIIMS, Madurai, are provided with facilities on par with other AIIMS institutes, especially considering the current absence of a dedicated campus and the interim arrangement at the Government Medical College and Hospital in Ramanathapuram?

ANSWER THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI PRATAPRAO JADHAV)

(a) to (c) Under Pradhan Mantri Swasthya Suraksha Yojana (PMSSY), AIIMS, Madurai is being set up at a total project cost of Rs.2021.51 crore. As on date, Rs.176.89 crore has been released for construction of AIIMS Madurai. The targeted date of completion of the project is October 2026.

Presently, total 198 students are pursuing MBBS course in AIIMS Madurai. Adequate infrastructure including smart Classrooms, Hostels with mess facility, Library, Skill lab, Canteen, Sports facilities, WiFi etc. have been provided to the students. OPD and IPD clinical exposure to the students of AIIMS Madurai are provided at Government Medical College at Ramanathapuram in addition to the Thopur TB hospital and Primary Health Centres at Valayankulam and Thirumangalam villages of Madurai.
