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

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2139 TO BE ANSWERED ON – 12/12/2025

DELAY IN CONSTRUCTION OF AIIMS, MADURAI

2139. SHRI THIRU D M KATHIR ANAND:

Will the Minister of **HEALTH & FAMILY WELFARE** be please to state:

- (a) whether there is an inordinate delay in the construction of AIIMS, Madurai and if so the details of the current status of construction along with the steps taken by the Government to expedite the completion of the same;
- (b) the amount of the funds provided by Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA) and the Union Government along with the reasons for the delay in getting funds from JICA; and
- (c) the amount of funds spent so far for the construction of AllMS, Madurai and time by which the construction of the said is likely to be completed

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

(a) to (c) Under Pradhan Mantri Swasthya Suraksha Yojana (PMSSY), All India Institute of Medical Science (AIIMS) Madurai has been approved at a cost of Rs. 2021.51 crore. The progress of the construction work of the Institute is 42% as on 30.11.2025. Till date, the Ministry has released Rs. 421.02 crore for construction of AIIMS Madurai. The project is being funded under Extra Budgetary Resources (EBR) through Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA) with a loan limited to Japanese Yen 22,788,000,000. As per the Loan Agreement signed between Government of Japan and Government of India in March, 2021, the target date of completion of the project is October, 2026.

The progress of the project and release of funds are being regularly monitored at the level of the Institute and the Ministry. A steering committee has also been constituted under the Chairpersonship of Principal Secretary (Health), Government of Tamil Nadu to monitor and facilitate smooth implementation of the project.
