# GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2455 TO BE ANSWERED ON 15.12.2025

### **ESIC FACILITIES IN ASSAM**

#### 2455. MD. RAKIBUL HUSSAIN:

# Will the Minister of LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) whether Employees' State Insurance Corporation (ESIC) facilities in Assam are inadequate to meet the requirements of insured persons and if so, the details thereof;
- (b) the details of the key services and infrastructure that are lacking in the State;
- (c) the details of the funds sanctioned and released for ESIC expansion or upgradation during the last three years and the current year; and
- (d) the details of proposed plans of the Government to enhance ESIC service coverage in Assam?

## **ANSWER**

# MINISTER OF STATE FOR LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT (SUSHRI SHOBHA KARANDLAJE)

(a) to (d): In Assam, a total of 3,42,000 Insured Persons (IPs) are covered under the Employees' State Insurance (ESI) Scheme. The Scheme has been notified in all 35 districts of the State. ESI Corporation presently operates an 85-bedded hospital at Beltola and a 20-bedded hospital at Tinsukia. Further, 33 ESIS dispensaries are also functional in the State to provide primary healthcare services to the IPs.

For strengthening medical services in the State, ESIC has sanctioned upgradation of the existing 85-bedded hospital at Beltola to a 220-bedded Medical College and Hospital and the existing 20-bedded hospital at Tinsukia to a 100-bedded hospital.

The details of funds released during the since 2021 for expansion and upgradation of 220 bedded ESIC Medical College and Hospital, Beltola are as under

Sr. No.	Year	Fund Released (Rs. in crore)
1	2021	14.32
2	2024	37.45
3	2025	42.64

Apart from above, ESIC also released Rs. 13.59 Crore in 2024 for upgradation of 20 bedded ESI hospital Tinsukia to 100 - bedded hospital.

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