

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF CHEMICALS & FERTILIZERS
DEPARTMENT OF PHARMACEUTICALS
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1580

TO BE ANSWERED ON 8th Decmber, 2015

National Institutes for Pharmaceutical Education and Research

1580. SHRI NARANBHAI KACHHADIYA:

Will the Minister of CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS be pleased to state:

- a) whether 17 MoUs have been signed by the National Institutes for Pharmaceutical Education and Research (NIPERs) and the pharmaceutical industry for Academic Industry linkage, if so, the details thereof;
- b) whether any investment is also being made in this sector through Foreign Direct Investment (FDI); and
- c) if so, the amount of funds invested through FDI in this sector so far along with the details in this regard?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS (SHRI HANSRAJ GANGARAM AHIR).

(a) : Yes, Sir. The details are at Annexure.

(b) to (c): Statement of Financial Year-wise Foreign Direct Investment (FDI) Equity inflows from April, 2012 to September, 2015 in the Drugs & Pharmaceuticals Sector is as under:-

S.NO.	YEAR	FDI (in Rs. Crore)	FDI (in US\$ million)
	2012-13 Apr-Mar	6,011.49	1,123.46
	2013-14	7,190.76	1,279.34
	2014-15	9,051.83	1,497.74
	2015-16 Apr-Sep	1,440.94	225.91
	Grand total	23,695.02	4,126.44
