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

### LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2500

## TO BE ANSWERED ON $11^{TH}$ MARCH, 2016

#### **HPV VACCINE**

2500. DR. SHRIKANT EKNATH SHINDE: SHRI VINAYAK BHAURAO RAUT: SHRI RAHUL SHEWALE: SHRI NAGENDRA KUMAR PRADHAN:

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

- (a) whether the Government proposes to introduce Human Papilloma Virus (HPV) vaccine in the universal immunization programme;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether all necessary clinical testings have been done in this regard;
- (d) if so, the details thereof; and
- (e) the time by which it will be introduced in the immunization programme?

# ANSWER THE MINISTER OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI JAGAT PRAKASH NADDA)

- (a): No, the Government does not propose to introduce Human Papilloma Virus (HPV) vaccine in the universal immunization programme
- (b) to (e): In view of above, the questions do not arise.