

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF AYURVEDA, YOGA & NATUROPATHY,
UNANI, SIDDHA AND HOMOEOPATHY
(AYUSH)**

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 483
TO BE ANSWERED ON 26TH FEBRUARY, 2016**

FACILITIES IN MEDICAL COLLEGE

483. SHRI C.N. JAYADEVAN:

Will the Minister of **AYURVEDA, YOGA AND NATUROPATHY, UNANI, SIDDHA AND HOMOEOPATHY (AYUSH)** be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government is aware of the suicide of three girl students of a Yoga Medical College in Tamil Nadu;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether the Medical Council of India (MCI) has inspected the prevailing infrastructure including fee structure and teaching facility of such colleges in different States including Tamil Nadu; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

**THE MINISTER OF STATE (IC) OF THE MINISTRY OF AYURVEDA,
YOGA & NATUROPATHY, UNANI, SIDDHA AND HOMOEOPATHY
(SHRI SHRIPAD YESSO NAIK)**

(a) & (b): As per information received from Government of Tamil Nadu, 3 girls students of S.V.S. Medical College of Yoga and Naturopathy, Kallakurichi, Villupuram District, affiliated with the Tamil Nadu Dr. MGR Medical University, have allegedly committed suicide by drowning in a well and the CB-CID of Tamil Nadu Government has taken up the matter for investigation.

(c) & (d): The colleges of Yoga do not come under the Regulatory powers of the Medical Council of India.

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