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

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.683 TO BE ANSWERED ON 26TH FEBRUARY, 2016

PRIMARY HEALTH CLINIC

683. SHRIMATI P.K. SREEMATHI TEACHER:

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

- (a) whether the Government proposes to set up primary health clinics for AYUSH across the country; and
- (b) if so, the details thereof, State/UTwise?

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

(a) & (b): As health is a State subject, the setting up of primary health clinics for AYUSH in the States/UTs are under the purview of concerned State/UT Governments. However, under Centrally Sponsored Scheme of National AYUSH Mission (NAM) there is a provision for Co-location of AYUSH units at Primary Health Centers (PHCs) in the States/UTs. The State/UT Governments are entitled to submit their proposal through the State Annual Action Plan (SAAP) as per the guidelines of the scheme.