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

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2125 TO BE ANSWERED ON 6TH MAY, 2016

CONSTRUCTION OF MEDICAL COLLEGE BUILDINGS

2125. COL. SONARAM CHOUDHARY:

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

- (a) whether the Government has released first instalment of Rs. 66 crore for construction of medical college buildings under New Medical College attached to existing district hospitals scheme at Alwar, Bharatpur, Churu, Barmer, Pali, Bhilwara and Dungarpur;
- (b) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor; and
- (c) whether the Government of Rajasthan has requested for release of second instalment and if so, the time by which the second instalment is likely to be released?

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

(a) to (c): Under the Centrally Sponsored Scheme for 'Establishment of new Medical colleges attached with existing district/referral hospitals,' seven districts namely Bharatpur, Dungarpur, Barmer, Alwar, Churu, Bhilwara and Pali have been identified in Rajasthan for establishment of new medical colleges. The Detailed Project Reports (DPR) in respect of all districts except Alwar have been received and approved by this Ministry.

An amount of Rs.130.20 crore has been released to the State Government with respect to the above mentioned six districts till March, 2016. Further releases are subject to submission of Utilization Certificate, physical progress report and release of State share by the Government of Rajasthan.

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