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

## LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2271 TO BE ANSWERED ON 6<sup>TH</sup> MAY, 2016

#### HERBS BASED INDUSTRIES

#### 2271. SHRI LAXMAN GILUWA:

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

- (a) whether the Government has taken steps to set up herbs based industries in Jharkhand;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether the Government has received any such proposal from the State; and
- (d) if so, the details and the status thereof?

### **ANSWER**

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

- (a) & (b): The Central Government provided financial support of Rs. 1.50 crore in 2005-2006 for Government Ayurvedic Pharmacy at Government Ayurvedic Medical College and Hospital, Ranchi, Jharkhand under the Centrally Sponsored Scheme of the Drugs Quality Control.
- (c) & (d): Ministry of AYUSH received a request letter dated 20<sup>th</sup> February 2016 from the Jharkhand state to establish pharmacy of Ayurvedic, Unani and Homoeopathic medicines. The request has been examined and the State was advised vide letter dated 11<sup>th</sup> April 2016 to first settle the accounts of previous grants and then submit a fresh proposal as a part of the State Annual Action Plan 2016-17 for consideration of support under the National AYUSH Mission. So far, neither the utilization certificates of the grants released in the past to Jharkhand have been liquidated nor the State Annual Action Plan for 2016-17 is received under National AYUSH Mission.