

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

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 4571
TO BE ANSWERED ON 12TH AUGUST, 2016**

FUNDS TO NEW MEDICAL COLLEGES

**4571. SHRI BALABHADRA MAJHI:
SHRI LADU KISHORE SWAIN:**

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

- (a) whether the Government has released the funds for establishment of five new medical colleges at Bolangir, Koraput, Mayurbhanj, Balasore and Puri in Odisha for the year 2016-17;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) if not, the reasons therefor and the time by which the funds are likely to be released?

**ANSWER
THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND
FAMILY WELFARE
(SHRI FAGGAN SINGH KULASTE)**

(a) to (c): Under the Centrally Sponsored Scheme for Establishment of new Medical Colleges attached with existing district/referral hospitals, funds to the tune of Rs. 170 crores have been released to the State Government of Odisha till date for establishment of new medical colleges at Bolangir, Koraput, Mayurbhanj, Balasore and Puri districts.