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

# RAJYA SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.1855 TO BE ANSWERED ON 9<sup>TH</sup> JULY, 2019

### FUNDS RELEASED FOR AIIMS, AMARAVATI

#### 1855. SHRI Y.S. CHOWDARY:

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

- (a) the details of funds released during the last three years for construction of AIIMS at Amaravati in the State of Andhra Pradesh;
- (b) the details of funds used/unspent for the construction of AIIMS at Amaravati in the State of Andhra Pradesh;
- (c) whether the funds released is sufficient for early construction of AIIMS at Amaravati in the State of Andhra Pradesh; and
- (d) if not, the reaction of Government thereto?

# ANSWER THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI ASHWINI KUMAR CHOUBEY)

(a) to (d): Cabinet has approved setting up of AIIMS at Mangalagiri in Andhra Pradesh on 07.10.2015. Sanctioned cost of the project is Rs. 1618 crore. Out of which Rs. 385.54 crore have been released so far.

The details of funds released during the last three years for construction of AIIMS is as follows:

| Year    | Fund released (in Rs. Crore) |
|---------|------------------------------|
| 2016-17 | 10                           |
| 2017-18 | 94.62                        |
| 2018-19 | 270.92                       |

Fund utilized till date is Rs. 357.84 crore. Balance fund available with the Executing Agency is Rs. 27.7 crore.

The progress of construction and fund release is as per the set targets so as to complete the construction of AIIMS Mangalagiri by September, 2020 as per the mandate of the Cabinet.