

### Organolyptin Test of Medicines

8196. MAULANA OBAIDULLAH KHAN AZMI: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is possible to test the composition by testing the Majuns and Khamiras;

(b) the number of persons found specialised in this job in CGHS alongwith their names and designations;

(c) the tests of medicines made by these specialists during the last three years and the names of medicines tested by these specialists;

(d) whether it is possible for these specialists to test more than three to four medicines in a day by this system; and

(e) whether it is a fact that till the inception of IMPCL none of the Unani

medicines purchased by CGHS Unani Store Depot was sent for laboratory test?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (DR. C. SILVERA):

(a) and (b) There is only one method which is adopted for testing Unani medicines and that is Organolyptic method (test by tongue). All Unani Physicians are trained in this art. All permanent Unani Physicians working in CGHS, Delhi are associated with various Purchase. Advisory Committees as Technical members by rotation. The names of the present technical members are indicated in the statement (See below).

(c) All Unani medicines purchased by CGHS Unani Store Depot are tested by the various Purchase Committee.

(d) Yes, Sir.

(e) As there is no laboratory test available for Unani medicines, they are tested only through Organolyptic method.

### Statement

The names of the Physicians working in CGHS, Delhi, under Unani System of Medicine are given below:—

1. Dr. A.R. Qazi	Senior Medical Officer
2. Dr. Kausar Parveen	Senior Medical Officer
3. Dr. M. Shamoon	Senior Medical Officer
4. Dr. S.A.R. Zaidi	Medical Officer
5. Dr. Talat Usmani	Medical Officer

### Sub-standard quality of Maxip Syrup

8197. MAULANA OBAIDULLAH KHAN AZMI: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Maxip Syrup found to be of Sub-standard quality by CGHS Ayurvedic Store Depot, if so, when.

(b) whether the Maxo Laboratory was blacklisted by CGHS Ayurvedic Store Depot and purchase of medicines from

this Company was barred by CGHS Ayurvedic wing; if so, when;

(c) whether inspite of the fact that the Maxip Syrup as well as Maxo Laboratory was later on registered in CGHS Unani Store Depot;

(d) whether composition of the Maxip Syrup of Maxo Laboratory is registered with Director of Industries, Delhi Admn. as an Ayurvedic Syrup since long back and

(e) whether the same Syrup has been purchased by CGHS after change of the label from Ayurvedic to Unani?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (DR. C. SILVERA):

(a) and (b) No, Sir.

(c) The Maxo Laboratories is Registered with CGHS Unani Stores prior to 1981.

(d) The Director of Industries registers only firms and not the composition of the products that the firm manufactures, Maxo Laboratory is, accordingly registered with them.

(e) No, Sir. The Unani Medicines are purchased on the basis of certificate issued by Drug Controller (Ay.)

#### Firm Supplying Unani Medicines to CGHS

8198. MAULANA OBAIDULLAH KHAN AZMI: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to refer to the answer to starred Question 242 given in the Rajya Sabha on the 30th March, 1995 and state:

(a) what are the names of the 17 firms enlisted for supply of Unani medicines to CGHS;

(b) whether it is a fact that most of them are not reputed and are lesser known;

(c) whether it is also a fact that reputed Unani firm are not coming forward because of malpractices in CGHS; and

(d) if so, the steps Government propose to meet this problem?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (DR. C. SILVERA):

(a) The information is given in the Statement (See below).

(b) No. Sir.

(c) No such complaint has been received.

(d) Does not arise.

#### Statement

The names of the firms are indicated below:

1. Ahmed & Co., Hyderabad.
2. Ashoka Pharmacy, Meerut.
3. A.J.Lab., Delhi.
4. Drug Lab. Meerut.
5. Hamdard Lab., Delhi.
6. Herbs & Herbs, Jaipur.
7. Himachal Drug Pharm., Amritsar.
8. Islahi Dawakhana, Bombay.
9. Maxo Lab., Delhi.
10. Medico Pharma, Hyderabad.
11. New Capital Dawakhana, Delhi.
12. Sadar Dawakhana, Delhi.
13. Sadar Lab., Delhi.
14. Unani & Co., Delhi.
15. Unani Products., Delhi.
16. Win Pharm., Meerut.
17. I.M.P.C.L., Mohan (Almora), Uttar Pradesh.

#### Plan to Curb Goitre

8199. SHRI KRISHNA KUMAR BIRLA: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government's attention has been drawn to the news-item under the Caption "54 million affected with goitre" which appeared in the Statesman dated the 3rd February, 1995.

(b) if so, whether the number of people suffering from iodine deficiency endemic goitre is persistently increasing;