

(b) if so, what are the details in this regard; and

(c) whether it is a fact that these drugs have yielded no results in country, if so, what decision Government propose to take to weed out such non-essential drugs?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (KUMARI SAROJ KHAPARDE); (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) As per enclosed statement (. See below).

(c) It is not true that the drugs mentioned in the press report have not yielded any result.

Statement

Allegations made in the Press Report

(1) 1.5 million infants die of diarrhoea and another 30,000 children going blind every Year are victim of non-essential drugs.

(2) Trading in non-essential drugs are rampant.

(3) Analgin and Chlorostreps are available in the market.

(4) Medical profession have become levers in pharmaceutical marketing.

(5) Harhi Committee report not implemented.

(6) WHO'S listed essential drugs is insufficient for third World countries.

(7) Drugs policy should be an integral part of Health Policy.

Comments: The revised drug policy is under consideration of Government. The Government is not aware of any authentic evidence that 1.5 million infants have died due to consumption of non-essential drugs. While Analgin ft

withdrawn in some countries it continues to be marketed in many countries. The data regarding toxicity of chlorostrep is being collected and committee of experts is seized with the examination of continued marketing of the drug. We have no information whether medical profession acts as lever towards pharmaceutical marketing WHO gives a guideline for essential drugs. The list is not adequate for catering symptomatic cure of all disease.

मध्य प्रदेश में गलगण्ड

3007. कुमारी सईदा खातून : क्या स्वास्थ्य और परिवार कल्याण मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) क्या यह सच है कि मध्य प्रदेश के आदिवासी क्षेत्रों में घोंघा मर्ज अर्थात् गला बढ़ने का रोग व्यापक स्तर पर व्याप्त है; और यदि हां, तो इस रोग को रोकने के लिए केन्द्रीय सरकार द्वारा कितना सहयोग दिया जा रहा है;

(ख) क्या यह रोग आयोडीन की कमी से होता है; और यदि हां, तो क्या यह रोग केवल आयोडाइज्ड साल्ट के उपयोग से दूर हो जाता है; और

(ग) यदि हां, तो रोग-ग्रस्त क्षेत्रों को कितनी मात्रा में आयोडाइज्ड साल्ट की सप्लाई की जा रही है?

स्वास्थ्य और परिवार कल्याण मंत्रालय में स्वास्थ्य विभाग में राज मंत्री (कुमारी सरोज खापर्डे) : (क) मध्य प्रदेश के शाहडोल, सिद्धी, रायगढ़, सरगुजा, बिलासपुर, जबलपुर, खंडवा, खर्गोन, बेतुल, होशंगाबाद, छिंदवाड़ा, और मांडला जिले गलगण्ड के स्थानिकमारी वाले क्षेत्र पाए गए हैं। केन्द्रीय सरकार राष्ट्रीय गलगण्ड नियंत्रण कार्यक्रम के अंतर्गत निम्नलिखित घटकों पर होने वाले खर्च

को वहन करने के लिए सहायता प्र
करती है : —

1. नमक के आयनीकरण में प्रयोग को
जाने वाली आयोडीन/पोटाशियम
आयोडेट तथा दूसरे रसायनों की
लागत ।

2. राज्य स्वास्थ्य मुख्यालयों में
गलगण्ड सेल खोलना ।

3. स्वास्थ्य शिक्षा संबंधी कार्यक्रम ।

(ख) गलगण्ड और आयोडीन की
कमी के कारण होने वाले दूसरे विकारों की
रोकथाम के लिये आयोडीकृत नमक
आसान और सस्ता तरीका है ।

(ग) उपलब्ध सूचना के अनुसार
जनवरी से सितम्बर, 1986 की अवधि के
दौरान मध्य प्रदेश सरकार ने 43957
टन आयोडीकृत नमक प्राप्त किया है ।

Allocation of funds to Sports Associations

3008. SHRI F. M. KHAN- Will the Minister
of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT
be pleased to state;

(a) the funds allocated by the Central
Government during the last two years
to d) All India Sports Federations (2)
States Olympic Associations and (3)
State Sports Councils in each State;

(b) what are the criteria fixed relating
to sanction of these funds; and

(c) whether any new schemes have
been formulated in this regard, if so,
what are the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE
DEPARTMENTS OF YOUTH AFFAIRS
AND SPORTS AND WOMEN AND CHILD
DEVELOPMENT IN THE MINISTRY OF
HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT
(SHRIMATI MARGARET ALVA): (a) and
(b) Funds are not allocated statewide by the
Central Government in respect of national
sports

federations or State Sports Councils. The budget
provision for 1984-85 and 1985-86 for the
scheme of Grants to National Sports
Federations was Rs. 115 lakhs and Rs. 140 lakhs
respectively. Similarly, the budget provision
under the scheme of Grants to State Sports
Councils for 1984-85 and 1985-86 was Rs.
100 lakhs and Rs. 247 lakhs respectively.
Under the above schemes, financial
assistance is made available to recognised
national sports federations and State Sports Coun-
cils under an approved financial pattern, on
merits of each case. The Central Government does
not provide financial assistance to State Olympic
Associations.

(c) While no new schemes as such for
rendering financial assistance to national
sports federations and the state sport councils
etc., have been formulated, the Plan allocation
of Central Schemes for promotion of sports
has been raised from about Rs. 15 crores in the
Sixth Five Year Plan, to Rs. 200 crores for the
Seventh Five Year Plan, thus enabling much
greater financial assistance than before to be
provided to the national sports federations and
the state sports councils under the existing
schemes.

Take-over of ONGC Fleet By Shipping Corporation of India

3009. SHRI PARVATHANENI UPEN-
DRA: Will the Minister of SURFACE
TRANSPORT be pleased to state;

(a) whether there is a proposal under
Government's consideration to take over
the entire fleet of Oil and Natural Gas
Commission by the Shipping Corporation
of India;

(b) if so, the number of vessels along-with
their cost involved; and

(c) whether representation have been
received from the private shipping sector
regarding this scheme; if so, the action taken
by Government in the matter?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE
MINISTRY OF SURFACE TRANSPORT
(SHRI RAJESH PILOT): (a) Oil and