

**Incidence of Malaria**

2032. SHRI N. P. CHENGALRAYA NAIDU : Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state :

(a) whether it is a fact that the incidence of malaria in the country has decreased by 60 per cent during the past five years ;

(b) if so, whether malaria cases have come down to 26 lakhs in 1981 from 64 lakhs in 1976 ;

(c) if so, whether it is a fact that during 1982 the cases of malaria have again increased in Delhi and some other parts of the country ; and

(d) if so, what are the measures Government propose to take to maintain the rate of reduction of malaria ?

THE MINISTER OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI B. SHANKARANAND) : (a) to (d) The incidence of malaria in the country as a whole has declined by 58.77% in 1981 (Prov.) over the incidence of 1976.

- # Malaria cases have come down to 26.66 lakhs (Prov.) in 1981 as compared to 64.67 lakhs in 1976.

As per report received upto end of September during the year 1982, the total positive cases of malaria in India and Delhi are 9.98 lakhs and 30695 respectively as compared to 13.52 lakhs for the whole country and 49865 for Delhi respectively in respect of the corresponding period in 1981. In case of the whole country the reduction is 26.19 per cent and the same in respect of Delhi is 38.44 per cent.

**C.G.H.S. Dispensary in 'D' Nock, Janakpuri**

2033. SHRI BHAGAT RAM MANHAR : Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state :

(a) whether the building constructed for CGHS Dispensary in Nangalrai in 'D' Block, Janakpuri, New Delhi has been completed ; and

(b) if so, by when the dispensary is likely to be shifted to the new building ?

THE MINISTER OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI B. SHANKARANAND) : (a) and (b) The building has not yet been handed over by the CPWD to CGHS. The dispensary will be shifted after the building becomes available.

**Decline in Caloric Intake**

2034. SHRI SHIVA CHANDRA JHA : Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the per capita calorie intake has gone down in the country in the last two years ;

(b) if so, the details thereof and the steps taken by Government in this regard ; and

(c) if not, the present *per capita* calorie intake in India *vis-a-vis* what it was in 1980 and 1977?

THE MINISTER OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI B. SHANKARANAND) : (a) to (c) According to a Diet and Nutrition Survey carried out by the National Nutrition Monitoring Bureau under the auspicious of Indian Council of Medical Research in 10 States, the per capita calorie intake has increased from 2306 in 1977 to 2404 in 1980.