

SHRI O. V. ALAGESAN: Except Mysore, all the other Part B States have joined the Scheme.

SHRI RAMA RAO: Because all the other States are in this National Highway Scheme and not Mysore, does it mean that Mysore is not part of India?

SHRI O. V. ALAGESAN: I do not know how that arises, Sir.

SHRI H. P. SAKSENA: The hon. Minister replied that all the Part B States have joined this scheme. May I know if the State of Jammu and Kashmir has joined?

MR. CHAIRMAN: Mr. Valiulla.

SHRI H. P. SAKSENA: Am I to get no answer to my question, Sir?

MR. CHAIRMAN: You know it.

RECOGNITION OF MEDICAL COLLEGES

*434. SHRI M. VALIULLA: Will the Minister for HEALTH be pleased to State:

(a) the number of medical colleges in India that are not yet recommended by the Indian Medical Council for recognition by the Government of India;

(b) which are those colleges; and

(c) whether there are any medical colleges in respect of which the Indian Medical Council have recommended the withdrawal of recognition?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER FOR HEALTH (SHRIMATI M. CHANDRASEKHAR): (a) and (b). Under the Indian Medical Council Act, 1933, medical qualifications granted by universities and other examining bodies are recognised and not individual medical colleges where students are trained. The Medical Council of India have not yet recommended for recognition by the Government of India the M.B.B.S. degree granted by the following Universities:—

1. Utkal.

2. Poona.

3. Gujarat.

4. Nagpur.

5. Rajputana

6. Bihar.

The Medical Colleges affiliated to these universities are:—

1. Shri Ram Chandra Bhanj Medical College, Cuttack;

2. B. J. Medical College, Poona;

3. B. J. Medical College, Ahmedabad;

4. Medical College, Nagpur;

5. Sawai Man Singh Medical College, Jaipur; and

6. Darbhanga Medical College, Darbhanga

(c) No.

SHRI M. VALIULLA: Was any medical college recommended for recognition by the Medical Council and afterwards this recommendation was withdrawn?

SHRIMATI M. CHANDRASEKHAR: No.

DR. SHRIMATI SEETA PARMANAND: What is the basis for the withdrawal of the recognition of the medical college at Nagpur?

SHRIMATI M. CHANDRASEKHAR: The standard of teaching and examination is seen and if that is not up to the required standard, then the recognition is withdrawn.

DR. SHRIMATI SEETA PARMANAND: Was it because the standard of teaching was not up to the mark or was it because the building or the equipment was not sufficient? That is the information required.

SHRIMATI M. CHANDRASEKHAR: Even that is so.

MR. CHAIRMAN: This, that or something else.