[RAJYA SABHA]

Unstarred Questions

Funds released to Maharashtra under JSY

230. SHRI D.P. TRIPATHI:

SHRIMATI RAJANI PATIL:

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

(a) the funds made available to Maharashtra by Government during the last four years under Janani Suraksha Yojana (JSY); and

(b) the number of women benefited from this scheme in the country?

THE MINISTER OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI GHULAM NABI AZAD): (a) Rs. 117.00 crores has been approved to Maharashtra under Janani Suraksha Yojana (JSY) during the last four years as per the following details:

Year	Amount Approved (Rs. in Crore)
2009-10	28.90
2010-11	22.59
2011-12	35.28
2012-13	30.23
TOTAL	117.00

(b) 6.26 crore beneficiaries have been reported in the country under JSY till 2012-13.

Liberalization of norms for opening new medical colleges

231. SHRIMATI T. RATNA BAI: SHRI MOHD. ALI KHAN:

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

(a) whether Government is going to liberalise the norms for opening of new medical colleges all over the country;