

(Chittorgarh Fort)-Jaisalmer (Jaisalmer Fort)-Hanumangarh (Kalibangan, Bhatner Fort and Gogamedi)-Jalore (Jalore Fort)-Udaipur (Pratap Gaurav Kendra)-Dholpur (Bagh-i-Nilofar and Purani Chawni)-Nagaur (Meera Bai Smarak) in Rajasthan under Swadesh Darshan Scheme'.

No proposal has been received for development of sites related to Meera Bai in Uttar Pradesh and Gujarat.

Immunisation of children and pregnant women in Punjab under UIP

*206. SARDAR BALWINDER SINGH BHUNDER: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) the numbr of children and pregnant women still to be immunised, under the Universal Immunisation Programme, in Punjab against the threatening diseases; and

(b) whether Government proposes to take action on the same without further loss of time?

THE MINISTER OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI JAGAT PRAKASH NADDA): (a) As per the report of National Family Health Survey-4 (NFHS-4)-2015-16, around 89% children aged 12-23 months are fully immunized and similarly 89% of the pregnant women in Punjab received two or more doses of Tetanus Toxoid (TT) Vaccine.

(b) Government has launched Mission Indradhanush with an aim to increase the full immunisation coverage to 90% through focus on pockets of low immunisation coverage. During the various phases of Mission Indradhanush, 14 districts of Punjab have been covered. Further, 1261 villages across 22 districts and 461 villages across 2 districts were also covered during Mission Indradhanush under Gram Swaraj Abhiyan and Extended Gram Swaraj Abhiyan respectively. During various phases of Mission Indradhanush, 1,94,674 children and 42,337 pregnant women have been vaccinated. Further, strengthening of routine immunisation microplans and awareness generation activities have been taken up to improve the immunization coverage and sustain the gains of Mission Indradhanush.

Removing economic inequality

†*207. SHRIMATI CHHAYA VERMA: Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that economic inequality is constantly increasing in the country causing poor people to become poorer and rich people to become even richer;

† Original notice of the question was received in Hindi.