

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
DEPARTMENT OF ATOMIC ENERGY  
**RAJYA SABHA**  
**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.3366**  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 25.03.2021

**CANCER HOSPITAL WITH THE COLLABORATION OF BARC**

3366 # Shri Sushil Kumar Modi :

Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

- (a) whether a decision has been taken to build a 200-bed cancer hospital at a cost of Rs.200 crore at Muzaffarpur, Bihar with the collaboration of Bhabha Atomic Research Centre (BARC) and Tata Memorial hospital;
- (b) whether it is a fact that the State Government of Bihar has provided 15 acres land free of cost in the premises of Shri Krishna Medical College for this cancer hospital two years ago; and
- (c) if so, the details of funds allocated in the current year budget and rationale for delay in the construction of cancer hospital, the details thereof?

**ANSWER**

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES & PENSIONS AND PRIME MINISTER'S OFFICE (DR. JITENDRA SINGH):

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- (a) Yes, Sir. The Department of Atomic Energy has sanctioned a project costing Rs.198.15 Crore (Rupees One Hundred Ninety Eight crore and Fifteen lakh only) to construct a 100 bedded hospital in Muzaffarpur, Bihar.
- (b) Yes, Sir.
- (c) A sum of Rs. 7 crore (Rupees Seven crore) has been allocated in the BE 2020-21 to start the initial project related activities. Meanwhile, due to COVID pandemic the construction could not be taken up.

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