GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE

RAJYA SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.245 TO BE ANSWERED ON 20TH JULY, 2021

ESTABLISHMENT OF AIIMS AT KUMAON, UTTARAKHAND

245 SHRI NARESH BANSAL:

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

- (a) whether Government has any plan to establish another AIIMS at Haldwani in the Kumaon region of Uttarakhand to provide better health care
- (b) if so, the details thereof and
- (c) by when the expansion of AIIMS Rishikesh is expected?

ANSWER THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (DR. BHARATI PRAVIN PAWAR)

- (a) & (b): No.
- (c): All the AIIMS are autonomous Institutions. Within the resources available, upgradation and expansion of services in these Institutions is a continuous process, based on assessment of requirement by the competent authorities / bodies of the Institute.