

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

**RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.259
TO BE ANSWERED ON 20TH JULY, 2021**

PROCUREMENT OF SPUTNIK V AND MODERNA VACCINES

259 SHRI TIRUCHI SIVA:

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

- (a) the number of vaccine doses administered for Sputnik V in the country and
- (b) the manner in which Government plans allocation of Moderna vaccine and the number of doses to be procured?

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

(a): As on 16th July 2021, a total of 2.61 lakh doses of Sputnik V have been administered in the country.

(b): NEGVAC (National Empowered Group on Vaccine Administration against COVID-19) is in regular dialogue with offshore COVID-19 vaccine manufacturers including Moderna for import of Covid vaccine. However, the exact number of doses to be imported and their manner of allocation has not been finalized yet.